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HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

22nd October, 1895.

Captain JOHN THOMAS WALBRAN, of the City of Victoria, to be a Stipendiary Magistrate within and for the Counties of Victoria, Nanaimo, Westminster and Vancouver.

To be a Justice of the Peace:—

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This is the LAST DAY but FIVE for Paying Taxes to entitle persons to a Rebate of one-sixth.

CHAS. KENT, Collector.

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VICTORIA
Liberal Conservative Asso'n.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal Conservative Association will be held on

Wednesday, 30th October, 1895,

At 8 o'clock p.m., at the Adelphi Hall, corner Yates and Government streets, for the election of officers for the ensuing year and the transaction of general business.

A. STEWART POTTS, Secretary.

Victoria, Oct. 24, 1895 oc24-6t

MISS JONES, midwife and certificated lady's nurse, has removed to No. 51 Pandora Avenue. oc20-6t

CABLE NEWS.

Russia's Important Gains Under Treaty With China—The Late Marquis of Waterford.

Centenary of the French Institute—Cold Weather in London—Bayard and Salisbury.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The Marquis of Waterford, whose death occurred yesterday, was found on the floor of his study at Curraghmore by a maid at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning. He was lying in a pool of blood and the top of his head had been blown off. He had been seen a few minutes previously emerging from his library, a cigarette in his mouth and seemed to be at that time in his usual condition. It is suggested that the fowling piece which was found on the floor near him was discharged accidentally.

A dispatch to the Times from Paris says that the fetes in celebration of the centenary of the French Institute have commenced. The delegates include Senor Emilio Castelar, the Spanish statesman and author; Lord Kelvin, of Glasgow University; Prof. Max Mueller; W. E. H. Leckey, the historian; and President Faure. There were present at the ceremonies most of the diplomats.

A Berlin despatch to the Times says that Baron Hammerstein, the Prussian Minister of Agriculture at Ratisbon, yesterday said that the Imperial government was deliberating how to meet the serious danger arising from the fall in the price of silver. His remarks, however, were somewhat obscure, and it is belived can be scarcely interpreted as favoring measures looking to bimetallism.

The Chronicle says: "Needless comment has been made on Ambassador Bayard's absence from Lord Salisbury's usual Wednesday reception at the foreign office. No discourtesy was intended. Mr. Bayard, in accordance with the diplomatic custom, awaits Lord Salisbury's answer to his despatch regarding Venezuela and does not need to personally attend till the answer is forthcoming. Lord Salisbury will possibly send an answer to-day. Perfectly friendly relations exist between the two countries."

The steamship Canton has arrived at an Algerian port from Madagascar with invalid soldiers of the French expeditionary corps which has been operating against the Hovas. Sixty-four deaths occurred among the men on the journey from Madagascar.

The correspondent of the Times at Hongkong learns from a reliable source that by the recently concluded Russo-Chinese treaty Russia obtains the right to anchor her fleet at Port Arthur, and to construct and work under Russian administration railways from Nertchinik and Isitsihar to Vladivostock, and from Isitsihar to Port Arthur, together with other commercial advantages to which the most favored nation clause is not applicable. But the Chinese reserve the option to purchase the railways twenty years hence at a price to be arranged hereafter.

Count Inouye, formerly Japanese minister to Korea, has started again for Korea as special ambassador. Thirty-six shoshi were arrested on the arrival of the Urijini from Korea.

The Standard this morning has further details from its correspondent at Constantinople regarding the execution of the fifty young Turks who were arrested on Saturday on a charge of excesses during the recent Armenian riots.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England, issued to-day, shows the following changes as compared with previous accounts: Total reserve, increased £788,000; circulation, decreased £420,000; bullion, increased £367,933; other securities, increased £251,000; other deposits, increased £167,000; public deposits, increased £121,000; notes reserve, increased £769,000; government securities, decreased £785,000. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liabilities, which was last week 56 92, is now 58.06 per cent.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY.

Claims of Some of the Local Agitators—Denunciation of British Pretensions.

SEATTLE, Oct. 24.—The agitation of the Alaska boundary survey question has been taken up by the American residents of Juneau, and a move is now being made to form a boundary club to keep the people and the government fully alive to the danger of losing the invaluable Yukon mines. As indicated, the war cry, "Ten marine leagues or fight," is being sounded.

G. B. Swineheart, editor of the Alaska Mining Record at Juneau, who is now in this city says: "If England can effect an entrance to the Yukon country, she will be satisfied and hopes to accomplish that object by Dyea inlet as a port of entry. She will also try to obtain Annot Island, but will waive that and all other considerations in order to control the rich mines in the north. She would undoubtedly relinquish her claim to the rest of the territory to gain her end, and if she succeeded, we might as well give up any claim on Alaska."

W. Otis Smith, editor of the Alaskan, published at Sitka, is also in the city. He says: "All England wants is a seaport at the entrance to the Yukon country, and she has raised this pretended claim on the southern boundary so that she may figure in the eyes of the world as magnanimous. She will forego this claim magnanimously if the United States will admit the claims she is setting up in the Chilcat country, and let her have a seaport giving access to the Yukon. But the boundary has long been established and I do not see why we should submit anything to arbitration."

Ontario Horses in England.

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—The following is the Evening Telegram's special cable, dated London, Oct. 24: "Seven out of twenty-five Canadian horses offered for sale at Aldridge's repository to-day, averaged twenty-six guineas each. Owing to the immense number of Canadian horses lately imported and placed upon the market, the demand was poor and the prices consequently weak.

After the wedding come the wedding cards—those dainty souvenirs of the happy day. Don't forget that the only complete stock of this kind of stationery in the city is to be seen at the Colonist office. An inspection invited. x

Arrived new wall papers, Mellor's. *

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Reclamation of Marsh Lands—Patron Member Called on to Resign—Bank Clearings.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 24.—(Special)—The Manitoba government are taking steps to reclaim a large portion of the low marsh lands lying between Winnipeg and Selkirk. Tenders were called some weeks ago for the draining of the big St. Andrew's marsh, and to-day the contract was let to C. Whitehead & Co., of Brandon, for $91,760. There were two other tenders.

The executive of the Manitoba Patrons of Industry have passed a resolution asking J. Forsythe, the sole Patron member in the Manitoba legislature, to resign all offices in the Patron order, owing to his acceptance of a free pass from the Manitoba railways.

Winnipeg's bank clearings for the week ending to-day show a large increase. The clearings for the week totalled $1,925,803, balances, $265,517.

Local cricketers are taking steps to arrange matches with the Australian team which proposes making a tour of America and England.

The citizens' committee is devising an improved form of city government, and has decided to have a general superintendent at a salary of $5,000 to carry out the instructions of the council.

The shipment of grain to Fort William is steadily increasing, and the C.P.R. are doing their utmost to give all consignments prompt dispatch. Yesterday all the previous records for Eastern shipments were broken, no less than 413 car loads having been forwarded from the yards here to the elevators at the lake front.

QUARANTINE RAISED.

Honolulu Again a Clear Port—Claims of British Subjects Against President Bole and His Government.

HONOLULU, Oct. 17.—(Per steamer Mariposa via San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 24.)—The board of health has raised the quarantine, and Honolulu is once more a clear port.

Now that the cholera trouble is over the government will take up the claims of British subjects arising out of the January rebellion. Minister Hatch is preparing the government's defence. The taking of testimony in the Cranston suit against the Vancouver steamer Warrimoo will commence to morrow. Cranston wants $50,000 for being forcibly taken from this country.

Both the Olympia and the Bennington have returned to port, and the officers of both vessels are allowed to come ashore. The Olympia will leave for the China station about the 2nd prox.

DURRANT STILL UNMOVED.

No Emotion Betrayed When the Prosecuting Counsel Demands His Life at the Hands of the Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—During the address of Prosecuting Attorney Peixotto, Rev. George Gibson, of Emanuel church, occupied a seat near the jury box and paid close attention to the speaker. Durrant sat indifferent in his usual place by his attorneys, surrounded by his father, mother, and a number of friends. Durrant betrayed no emotion or feeling even when accused of murders which were compared with the crimes of Jack the Ripper in the Whitechapel district of London. His mother however looked more thoughtful and depressed than she has at any other time since the trial began. When Mr. Peixoto closed his argument at 3:30 o'clock, Gen. Dickenson for the defence, asked for a discontinuance until Monday in order that Attorney Duprey might make the opening argument for the defence. District Attorney Barnes objected to the delay and as the court was opposed to granting the continuance, the motion was denied.

PECULIAR MANŒUVRING.

A Chinese Leper Transferred From Kamloops to the Darcey Island Lazaretto.

Constable McKenna yesterday took the Kamloops leper, Ah Sam, out to Darcy island. The unfortunate Chinaman made the voyage in a small boat, towed by the provincial police launch, which upon its return was sunk and thoroughly washed out with a solution of mercury. On leaving Kamloops the Chinaman was placed in a big box car in which not a pound of freight was stowed. In this way he reached Vancouver. There Officer McKenna was obliged to secure a big wooden box for his transportation on the Charmer. This structure was rudely put together, a big hole in the top having been left for air purposes. After being placed on board the steamer the Chinaman remembered that he was hungry and made known his wants in a somewhat surprising way. All of a sudden a Chinaman's face badly disfigured with leprosy, made its appearance through the hole, and the cry "Me very hungry" was speedily responded to. It was last spring that this man's condition was first made known to white people. He had been working with a gang cutting wood for the C.P.R. They had all wintered together in a small hut, the leper being treated by his associates, regardless of his awful disease. When first discovered by white people the leper disappeared and is believed to have spent the summer in a little shanty four miles from Kamloops at a place known as Notch Hill. There he remained until a few days ago. He is a man of middle age and has resided in British Columbia eleven years. Besides having face sores his toes are all gone. When he joined his present fellow colonists at the island all met him save one, and that one has hidden himself on each occasion that a visit has been paid to the island. Yesterday a second leper was reported to be living near Swan lake, but fortunately report was not correct. The residents of the locality were living in dread of him and consequently his removal elsewhere was ordered as he has been living the life of a vagrant.

Hotel Clerk—Sir, the visitor in No. 35 complains that the room is haunted.

Landlord—Indeed? Then put down on his bill, "One ghost, 10 marks."—Hofer Stadtanzeiger.

Do not take any substitute when you ask for the one true blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's.

Gardening tools at Cheapside. *

CAPITAL NOTES.

Archbishop Langevin Denies Having Offered a Compromise on the School Question.

The Royal Military College—Another Farmers' Delegate—Militia Regimental Change.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 24.—A fake dispatch went from Winnipeg to a New York paper, which stated that Archdeacon Langevin had made overtures to Mr. Greenway for a compromise on the school question. The story is authoritatively denied from Winnipeg to-night.

The following gentlemen have been chosen on the board of visitors to the Royal Military College for the ensuing year: Col. Powell, adjutant-general; Col. Duchesnay, Quebec; Col. Smith, London; Sandford Fleming, D. MacPherson, Montreal. C. P. R. Divisional Engineer MacPherson was one of the first batch of graduates from the college and has been chosen by Hon. Mr. Dickey as a representative of the graduates' association.

W. Cook, of Lincolnshire, England, a tenant farmer delegate of 1893, is here. He purposes again travelling through the Dominion out to the Pacific Coast. He furnished a valuable report to the government two years ago.

The plan adopted early in the year of sending to England militia officers for a period of training with the Imperial troops worked so satisfactorily that it is fully expected another batch will proceed to England in the near future.

Hon. Mr. Dickey, on General Gascoigne's recommendation, has decided to restore to all corps the full number of sergeants. In General Herbert's time the number was reduced by half.

A report is current here to-day that R. S. White is likely to be induced to withdraw his resignation, which, it is stated, has not yet reached the Speaker's hands. Mr. White's friends say his decision is irrevocable.

The Minister of Militia has cabled Captain Gaudet, superintendent of the Quebec cartridge factory, who is now in England, to visit the smokeless powder company's establishments and report upon their product.

The officers of the local corps banqueted General Gascoine to-night.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Editor Bunting Seriously Ill.

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—C. W. Bunting, managing editor of the Mail-Empire, has been laid up with a cold for ten days; pneumonia has developed and he is in a grave condition, but his recovery is looked for.

Rise in Coal.

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—Local dealers have raised the price of coal to $5 a ton.

Mail Bag Missing.

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—A bag of registered letters, supposed to contain a large sum of money, on the way from Montreal to this city, is missing. It disappeared after its arrival at the Toronto railway station.

Planing Mills Destroyed.

CLINTON, Oct. 24.—S. S. Cooper's planing mills were burned last night with the machinery. Partly insured.

A Quebecker Drowned in the Yukon.

QUEBEC, Oct. 24.—Word has reached here that a young man named Talbot, who lately left Reviere du Loup for Alaska, has been drowned in the Yukon, which he was attempting to cross on horseback.

Rev. Mr. Laidlaw Dead

HAMILTON, Oct. 24.—Rev. N. J. Laidlaw, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, died at the residence of Mr. McCall, his brother-in-law, near Georgetown, this morning, after an illness of more than a year.

Death of a Government Surveyor.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 24.—John C. Nelson, surveyor of Indian reserves, of Ottawa, died here to-day of pneumonia, contrated while on a surveying trip to Lake Winnipeg.

Meeting of Parliament.

MONTREAL, Oct. 24.—Hon. J. A. Ouimet, Dominion Minister of Public Works, is said to have informed a reporter here to-day that the Dominion parliament would positively meet on January 2, and that remedial legislation would be immediately introduced and passed, Manitoba having failed to comply with the demand of the Dominion government.

Hall Caine and Tupper.

KINGSTON, Oct. 24.—Premier Bowell in an interview here said there was a misunderstanding about Sir C. H. Tupper's treatment of Hall Caine. Sir C. H. Tupper had no reason to refuse to meet him, but had misunderstood Mr. Caine when he had asked him the night previous to meet him; but there had been a two hours' conference in his own office the next day between Sir C. H. Tupper, Hall Caine and himself. He did not know whether Mr. Caine had called on the Minister of Justice or not.

Fast Atlantic Service.

OTTAWA, Oct. 24.—It is said the government has decided to withdraw the offer made to Mr. Huddart of $750,000 for a fast Atlantic service, and arrangements have been perfected between the government and the Allan and Dominion lines under which a subsidy will be granted to each company, each agreeing to put into commission two 17 knot boats.

Insure your plate glass. Mellor. *

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Hydraulic Operations Resumed in Golden Cariboo—Gold Consigned to Montreal.

Co-Operative Fishermen's Canning Company—Block Paving Certain Streets in Vancouver.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24.—The board of works are seriously considering the pavement of cross streets with blocks.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society's annual ball will be held on November 29.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Oct. 24.—The gold the result of the recent cleanup of the Horsefly and Cariboo mines in Cariboo, reached Ashcroft yesterday and was shown to a privileged few. The cone shaped chunk from the Cariboo mine was the shape of the crucible in which it had been reduced and weighed 200 pounds. The Horsefly brick weighed 125 pounds. The precious samples of what can be done in Golden Cariboo were sent direct to Montreal. Hydraulic operations have been resumed on both mines. The weather is reported very fine.

The Co-operative Fishermen's Canning Company, of which there has been so much talk, has been incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000, in $100 shares. Enough money has been advanced by the subscribers of the stock to arrange the preliminaries. Prominent citizens are acting as trustees. Officers will shortly be elected.

LONDON FUR SALES.

Low Prices an Unsatisfactory Feature—Decrease in the Number of Skins Offered.

In the Monetary Times just received the following paragraph appears, which will be of interest to those concerned in the London fur market: "The fur sales held by Messrs. C. M. Lampson & Co. in London during the week were not entirely satisfactory in point of prices. On Tuesday 65,000 African monkey skins were offered, and 48,000 withdrawn; 17,000 skins were sold from 40 to 60c. per skin. African producers are reported to have held out for prices, which accounts for the large number withdrawn. The number of skins offered was less than one-half the number offered in October, 1894, and the prices, based on the average of the June sale, were from 10 to 30 per cent. off in white fox, wolf and bear skins, while marten and red fox skins rose 10 to 15 per cent. over the same sale, sable, beaver and other skins having suffered no change. The following is a summary of the offerings, the advances and declines, compared with the prices at the June sale:

	Offered 1894.	October, 1895.
Marten advanced 15 per cent	17,883	9,000
Red fox advanced 10 per cent	4,084	2,000
Russian sable, same	3,997	1,900
Beaver, same	4,347	1,900
American otter, same	4,738	500
Lynx declined 15 per cent	4,478	1,200
White fox declined 20 per cent	[illegible]	800
Bear—Black, declined 20 per cent; " Brown, declined 30 per cent; " Grizzly, declined 27½ per cent	6,857	4,800
Wolf, declined 10 per cent	3,949	4,400

The same issue of the Times says: "It is proposed to establish a flax mill in British Columbia, and Mission City may be chosen as the mill site."

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

W. T. Stead Thinks American Sentiment Regarding the Venezuelan Frontier Should Not Be Belittled.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—W. T. Stead has a long article this afternoon in the Westminster Gazette on "Monroeism," during which he says: "Englishmen would do well not to belittle the significance of the ebullition of American sentiment on the question of Venezuelan frontier. It must be taken with the usual discount, and is no doubt due to a system by which foreign affairs are discussed by bawling journalists rather than by suave diplomats, but it is serious nevertheless. Its gravity consists in two facts neither of which appear to have anything to do with the merits of the question in dispute. In the first place, for the first time since the civil war Americans have built a navy of which they have some reason to be proud, and which sooner or later they will use against somebody. In the second place, it is equally significant, the American press assures us, that the Monroe doctrine has been informally adopted as the national faith of the American people, and the dispatch sent to the New York World is probably based on truth.

"Considering the disreputable character of the Venezuelan government, it seems extraordinary that a civilized power should contemplate such a crime as trying to thrust a peaceable region under the rule or government of Spanish-American adventurers, whose only claim to the sympathy of the United States is that they call their anarchy a republic, and fly a flag which does not fly outside of the Western Hemisphere. We do not fear arbitration, but, before it begins, reparation must be made for the high handed violation of the territory governed by Great Britain."

CATHOLICS AND PROTESTANTS.

Significance of the Recent Papal Encyclical—Father Ducey's Opinion.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The World says: It has been suggested that the papal encyclical published a few days ago warning the Catholics of the United States that they must not promiscuously associate in public meetings with Protestants was a blow aimed at Bishop Keane of the Catholic university and all those who were prominent in the congress of religions held in Chicago during the Columbian exposition. Rev. Father Thomas J. Ducey, rector of St. Leo's church, said last night:

"A short time ago Leo XIII sent out an encyclical to the whole world asking prayers for Christian unity. Numbers of Protestant gentlemen have called on me since the appearance of this last encyclical and asked me its meaning. I have received no official communication about the encyclical. I do not believe it is aimed at Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ireland, or the rector of the Catholic university. Some enemy has thrown this hint out to the public.

"I have received a letter recently from my Roman correspondent in which he says: 'In a short time the matter will be given to the American press asserting that a hard blow is about to be administered to certain eminent ecclesiasticals.' He reports it might soften the blow to have it known, and repeated that others besides the Cardinal and Archbishop Ireland were interested in the congress of religions in Chicago. 'This letter,' said Mgr. Ducey, 'comes from one very closely in touch with the highest authorities in Rome.'"

THE "AMERICA'S" CUP.

Why Mr. Rose Withdrew His Challenge—Some of the Opinions of the London Papers.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Mr. Rose's action in withdrawing his challenge, the Associated Press learns, was due chiefly to the Prince of Wales, who spoke to Mr. Rose on the subject when they met at Newmarket on Tuesday last.

The Globe this afternoon says: "There is little likelihood of another British challenger entering the list for a race in 1896. Lord Dunraven certainly will not do so until a course is provided where competitors will have fair play."

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon remarks: "Mr. Rose has done right in withdrawing. Had he won the cup, it would forever have lost the international significance which now attaches to it. If the cup is to retain its significance for British yachtsmen, it must be sailed as Lord Dunraven demands, over an unobstructed course, and Lord Dunraven has unquestionably the first right to a match under such conditions."

The Daily News says: "Mr. Rose's withdrawal is not surprising, but it is curious that he has taken so long to discover the objectionable interpretation put upon his offer. Still, better late than never. We must wait a little on both sides till we have cooled down before beginning a new race. A year is but a span in the life of nations, and even next year would be at least a year too soon."

The Daily Graphic referring to the withdrawal, thinks that the Royal Victoria Yacht Club is old enough to know better than to endorse Mr. Rose's challenge. "The withdrawal from a false position better serves the interest of international yachting than the victory of the Distant Shore would have done. It is a matter for congratulation that Mr. Rose has thus expressed confidence in Lord Dunraven. We trust that we shall hear of no more challenges until the New York committee shall consent to abandon the Sandy Hook course."

PEIXOTO'S ARGUMENT.

The Prosecution Claims to Have Convicted Durrant of Blanche Lamont's Murder.

The Words of a Guilty Man Trying to Conceal a Horrible Crime.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—Durrant was as unconcerned as ever this morning, but his father and mother showed increased anxiety over the outcome of the trial.

At the request of General Dickinson, Miss Cunningham was recalled to the stand and was asked a few unimportant questions and then excused, after which the prosecution announced that it rested its case.

Assistant District Attorney Peixoto in opening the argument for the prosecution said he was prepared to answer four questions asked by the defense at the opening of the case, viz: Where was Blanche Lamont murdered?—when was she murdered?—by whom was she murdered?—and what was the motive? The prosecution believed it had proved that Miss Lamont was murdered in Emanuel Baptist church on the afternoon of April 3 by Theodore Durrant. The motive, Mr. Peixoto attributed to the unbridled passion that had prompted Jack-the-Ripper to murder women in the Whitechapel district of London. The State never had demanded the life of an innocent man, but he believed the evidence justified the prosecution in asking for a verdict of guilty, with the penalty fixed at death. Durrant's previous good reputation carried out the theory of the prosecution, as Miss Lamont would not have gone to a lonely place with anybody in whom she had not the utmost confidence.

He then reviewed the testimony from the time Miss Lamont left the normal school on Powell street, in company with Durrant, until she entered the church with him. After dwelling on the manner in which Durrant enticed the unsuspecting girl to the belfry and murdered her he began an analysis of Durrant's action. "Stripping her body of its clothing and even taking from her fingers the rings which she wore," he said, "the defendant laid out the form of this poor girl so that in after years when the skeleton should be found in the belfry there should be nothing to tell that the bleached bones were those of Miss Lamont. In doing this he did not go about it as a person unskilled in handling bodies would have done, for he blocked the head up with pieces of wood so that the air might circulate freely under the body and reduce the liability of discovery. Then it might be supposed he would have slipped out of the church, and gone away from a church that must have had so much horror for him. But not so; this cool, calculating young man, who showed on the stand that he was more cunning even than his own lawyers and smarter than the district attorney who was questioning him—Egypt in darkness was none too dark for him and he chose to remain in the church. To go out he might have met Janitor Sademan or somebody else he knew; and, seeing his dishevelled hair, pale face and trembling form, they would have asked: "What makes you so pale?" He therefore went down stairs, probably not having heard King playing the piano, as his crime was all that his mind could contain. Coming through the sliding door Durrant did not realize his pallor, and was unprepared for the question. Before he thought of the full meaning he unconsciously spoke of the crime he had committed. "You would be pale if you had been through what I have," he replied. Been through what?—these fateful words could not be even wrung from the unwilling witness, King. They were spoken by Durrant when on the stand in one of those lapses of memory that always come to guilty consciences. When he uttered the words to King he knew at once that he had spoken of his secret and at once contrived an explanation. Then he told the story of having been overcome by gas, the truth of which has been so positively refuted by three witnesses. They were the words of a guilty man, and told of the horrible crime that he had hoped to conceal.

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STRUGGLING CUBA.

General Don M. Dickinson's Appeal for the Insurgents—Desperate Battles Fought.

Brutal Shooting of Prisoners by Spanish Jailors—Capture of Cuban Volunteers.

DETROIT, Oct. 24.—The News prints an extended interview with ex-Postmaster General Don M. Dickinson on the Cuban question. Mr. Dickinson's expressions and conclusions are regarded to be to some degree indicative of the sentiment of the national administration. In the course of the interview Mr. Dickinson says:

"While we must maintain the laws of neutrality, yet the law of humanity is higher, and whether or not the United States recognizes the belligerency or the independence of Cuba, this country should certainly intervene in the interests of civilization to restrain the atrocities upon persons and property daily perpetrated on the island. This is what the Cubans are hoping and praying for. No law can restrain the expression of our natural feeling of sympathy, nor should it restrain, in my opinion, such an expression from this country. Cuba is at our doors, in the highway of our commerce, so near that as the murders go on we can hear the shrieks of women and children and can see the horrors in Cuba that were practiced by the Duke of Alva in the Netherlands. We can send our sympathies to Greece, to Poland, to Hungary, but here at home, at our very doors, shall this struggling people toss their fettered arms on high, and groan for freedom's gift in vain?"

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Reports of a desperate battle in the San Juan coffee growing valley, between Holguin and Barajagua, were confirmed by despatches received by the Cuban junta. The forces were led by Gen. Antonio Marceo, with 3,000 Cubans, and Gen. Echague, with 1,800 Spaniards. The greater portion of the Cubans were not actually engaged, according to the report, but continued to advance towards the west after the battle. Only 500 cavalry defended the rear of the Cuban army and kept the Spaniards from advancing. The Spanish troops hesitated at critical times, and did not fight with the valor which distinguished their ancestors. About 300 of their number were killed. Gen. Maceo's westward movement was for the purpose of succoring the insurgent forces in Santa Clara province, as he had received word that they were threatened by the columns of Spanish infantry. The latter was received by Acting Brig. Gen. Rego, who at Manicara is holding a position in the mountains about midway between Cienfuegos and Trinidad. He has about 1,200 men divided into seven companies of cavalry and ten of infantry. He stated to General Maceo in his dispatch that the Spanish forces were massing at Cienfuegos, Trinidad and Villa Clara. There are three roads to Manicara from these three places. Spies reported to General Rego that they were to make a concerted attack. In Villa Clara there are over 1,800 Spaniards, in Cienfuegos about 2,000, and in Trinidad 1,500, making in all a formidable force to be repulsed by the Cubans. It is supposed that the hardest fighting will occur in the province of Santa Clara.

As soon as the sugar cane fields are relieved from the dampness of the recent heavy rains, the insurgents will begin to burn them. Gomez has given orders to destroy everything.

From Havana comes word that it is the daily practice of the Spanish jailors to take several prisoners from the forts and shoot them. The prisoners are stood in line. Ten men are selected for death. Perhaps it is the first ten, perhaps the last ten, or the middle ten. The names of the condemned men are not ascertained. They are simply penned up and treated as animals.

In the province of Santa Clara, General Luquis is said to be rivaling the reputation of Garrido, the butcher, in the eastern province, according to letters received from Sagua la Grande, on the north coast of Cuba. His force recently captured a mountain hospital near Diego del Valle, after a fierce combat with 200 Cubans, who were guarding the sick and wounded. In the hospital were thirty-one insurgents, unable to participate in the engagement. The Spanish soldiers put every one of them to the bayonet. Not one of them was left alive.

Pancho Francisco Garillo, who is well known in this city, was the leader of the Cubans arrested at Ingoa, Bahama islands. In company with a score of others he sailed on board the Clyde steamer Delaware from New York city on October 12 The vessel was bound for Cape Haiti. The little band were put ashore at Ingua in a small boat at their own request, although they had secured passage to Cape Haiti. They took their boat along on board the steamer, the plan on leaving her being to get the vessel to heave to, launch their boat and allow them to go where they pleased. Immediately on landing the British authorities at Ingua placed the twenty-one Cubans under arrest. They were sent to Nassau, where they will be tried on the charge of violating the foreign enlistment and the laws of neutrality. There is great excitement at Cuban headquarters because of the arrest of the members of the expedition. The men arrested were many of them implicated in the Wilmington affair. It is expected that counsel will be sent to the prisoners next Thursday, when the Ward line steamer sails for Nassau.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—A letter received at the navy department from the commander of the United States steamer Yantic, at Montevideo, states that on September 16 last, the steamship San Francisco carried from that port over 1,200 Spaniards who had volunteered to join the Spanish army in Cuba. Eleven hundred of these were from Uruguay and the remainder were deserters from the Spanish army, who had volunteered to return for service in Cuba. A great proportion of the total number were mere boys. They were taken charge of on the San Francisco by a guard of Spanish soldiers and not allowed to leave. The ship bore no Spanish flag or insignia of nationality. No formal enlistments took place ashore, but each man on boarding the vessel surrendered a paper proffering his services to Spain.

MADRID, Oct. 24.—Three additional boats have been ordered to Cuba, and another consignment of 1,500 Mauser rifles has been forwarded to Havana.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 24.—A member of the Cuban Junta, who travels for the cigar trade, and who was a colonel in the first Cuban revolution, reached Minneapolis to-day. While refusing to have his name mentioned on the ground that the success of the Junta's operations depends upon the secrecy of his movement, he nevertheless gave the latest news received by the Junta from Cuba. He has been concerned in every effort of the American Junta to help the Cuban cause, including the Wilmington affair. The following is a despatch which he has just received from Cuba describing the recent revolutionist victory, which gave the control of the Province of Puerto Principe to the insurgents:

"General Maceo, acting under orders from the war minister, started on the march from Santiago de Cuba to join General Sarchio in Las Billas, in the province of Santa Clara, where they were to unite their forces and ravage the sugar plantations. The Spanish got wind of Gen. Maceo's intentions, and immediately despatched a formidable column of 2,800 men under Gen. Echague to prevent the junction of the Cuban armies. This column found Gen. Maceo as far advanced on his way as the San Juan valley, in the South of Cuba, between Polguio and Basalugus. Gen. Maceo had 3,000 men, of whom 500 were cavalry and 2,500 infantry. The Spanish had 200 men less, but this difference was more than compensated for by the possession of three excellent pieces of artillery. The battle began at once and was fought by the Cubans with great fury. After four hours of terrible fighting, General Echague was driven from the field in a disorderly retreat, leaving five hundred killed and wounded men and all his artillery behind him. Since the battle the insurgents have overrun Puerto Principe and have effected a junction with General Sarchiez at Las Billas."

The colonel said: "We are bound to win; we control three-fourths of the island now. Our men are armed not only with Mausers captured from the Spaniards, but also with Winchesters and Remingtons sent from the U. S. There are over 300 officers in our army, and more are going every day. Only a few of the relief expeditions we are sending out get into the papers. We are now planning a couple that will put a final quietus on Spain. The Spaniards are fighting barbarously. They gave no quarter and kill the wounded. We are going to ask the U. S. for recognition when Congress meets.

"Our president, Salvador Cisneros, has sent Dr. Joaquin Castillo, who will be remembered in connection with the Jeannette expedition to this country, to treat with President Cleveland. He has not arrived yet and is probably having trouble getting through the lines."

RUSSIA AND KOREA.

Japan Protests Against Interference by the Czar—British and Russian Warships in Korean Waters.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says that a Russian squadron of fifteen ships have left Vladivostock for Chemulpo and Fusian. The Japanese fleet in Formosan waters, it is stated, has been recalled, and it is announced on excellent authority that several British warships have been ordered to sail for Korea. It is stated at Shanghai that Japan's reply to the demand of Russia that the former evacuate Korea is couched in pacific, but firm language. It protests against the dictation of Russia in Korean affairs. It is regarded at Shanghai as certain that Russia will permanently occupy Fusian. The Shanghai dispatch also states that the situation of affairs is most grave, and that preparations for the expected struggle are visible on all sides, but it is hoped that a solution of the difficulty will be found in Russia and Japan agreeing to divide Korea.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

A Buffalo Medical Man Under Arrest—Result of a Criminal Operation.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Oct. 24.—Miss Annie Cavanaugh, a handsome young lady of wealth and refinement, died to-day at 176 West Monro street, as a result of a criminal operation performed by Dr. J. C. Harper, who has been arrested on a charge of murder, and has confessed to committing an operation, but claims the step was necessary as an attempt to save the girl's life. The girl came from Cardinal, Ont., her home, accompanied by a lady friend. The immediate cause of death was blood-poisoning. After her death Dr. Harper endeavored to have the body buried without any disclosures being made, but the undertakers had their suspicions aroused and took the corpse to the morgue where an examination was made and the cause of death established.

NOVEL WEDDING.

For Want of a Minister a Loving Couple Are Made Happy by Telegraph.

OSHKOSH, Wis., Oct. 24.—On next Monday, unless present plans fail, a novel wedding will take place at the Northwestern depot in this city and at St. Cloud, Minn. The bride will be Miss Liddie Klutz, of Oshkosh, and the groom Duncan Edwards, agent of the road at St. Cloud. They will be married while many miles apart by telegraph. The usual questions will be asked the gentleman over the wire and his answer, made before witnesses, will be returned. The bride will, of course, reply to the minister in person. She will then take a wedding tour to her husband's home by herself. The reason for such an unusual proceeding is owing to the fact that there is no Protestant minister at St. Cloud and the groom cannot come to Oshkosh.

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The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern's Splendid Run.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Oct. 24.—The record for railroad speed over a great distance was broken to-day by a special train on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad, which ran from 100th street, Chicago, to Buffalo Creek, Buffalo, a distance of 510 and one-tenth miles, in 481 minutes and 7 seconds, an average speed of 63 60 miles an hour; this time includes stops. Exclusive of stops, the run was made in 470 minutes and 10 seconds, an average speed of 64 98 miles an hour.

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RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand January 1, 1895	$ 1,097 75
Bank of B.N.A.	3,509 44
Land and improvement tax	21,005 69
Water rents and rates	35,824 82
Trade licenses	11,722 50
Liquor	17,745 00
Fire insurance Co's tax	5,400 00
Police court fines and fees	2,050 75
Road tax	2,992 00
Provincial revenue tax	9,532 00
Cemetery fees	1,189 50
Dog tax	374 20
Pound fees	494 65
Market rents and fees	2,003 70
Board of Health	2,400 73
School purposes, special rate	753 88
Provincial Government Education Grant	9,115 10
Provincial Government refunds under Section 109, Municipal Act, 1892	2,408 89
Provincial Government, in aid of fire department	250 00
Miscellaneous receipts	5,161 77
	$135,082 37

EXPENDITURE.

City Debt	$ 78,091 25
Municipal Council	3,772 53
Civic salaries	50,659 72
City institutions (maintenance)	28,982 43
Buildings and surveys	2,249 17
Streets, bridges and sidewalks	21,402 90
Miscellaneous	13,739 65
Education	35,658 63
Board of Health	12,493 68
	$217,050 96

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CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.
City Hall, 16th October, 1895.

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After a four years' training and experience as a Mining Engineer, Mr. Carlyle, in 1887, graduated from the McGill University in Montreal, gaining the British Association of Science Gold Medal for proficiency in engineering subjects, and also First Class Honors from Sir William Dawson in Natural Sciences, viz: Geology, Mineralogy, Chemistry, and Photography. He was afterwards engaged for two seasons of five months each on the Government Geological Survey of the Laurentian mountains. He afterwards became Mining Engineer for Mr. D. R. E. Brown, Aspen, Colorado, one of the largest and most successful mining operators in that State, and while there he was constantly engaged in the various operations of mine engineering, mine examinations, surveying and law-suit work in the largest mines of that famous camp.

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He was also connected with the construction of a large mill for the concentration of low grade ores, and spent a considerable time in making a complete survey and geological examination of Smuggler Cut in Colorado for Mr. Brenton, a member of the British Institution of Mining Engineering in England, who specially sent to Canada for Mr. Carlyle to take charge of the work. In relation to his services Mr. Brenton says:

"Mr. Carlyle has made for me maps, geological sections, and models of many mines in this District and in other parts as well as in Montana. For the past two years he has been engineer for me upon the Cowenhoven M. T. & T. D. Tunnel Company and the property of the 'Della S.' Mining Company, all the works of which he has completely mapped, sectionized and modelled. All the work has been performed in a most satisfactory manner, and it is with great regret that I learn of his intention to return to Canada. Mr. Carlyle has thoroughly familiarized himself with the different methods of mining, valuing mines and treating precious metal ores, and in short has lost no opportunity of studying the details of his profession, and I can heartily recommend him for any position connected therewith."

Mr. Brown in writing of Mr. Carlyle says:

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Mr. Carlyle was afterwards appointed Professor and Lecturer at McGill University on Mining and Metallurgy, which appointment he now holds, and he was specially recommended by Dr. Dawson and the President of the University as peculiarly fitted for the appointment of Provincial Mineralogist for British Columbia. His duties will consist in visiting and inspecting the mining districts of the Province and reporting to the Minister of Mines on the same, and his official reports will be available for the information of the public. He will organize and superintend under the instruction of the Minister of Mines all the work connected with the Mining Department of the Government, which is now assuming huge proportions. During the winter months he will give lectures and instruction on Mining, Mineralogy and Geology; in fact, he will be a centre from which useful, practical and reliable information can be obtained with regard to the mining industries of the Province and the best methods of developing them.

In 1892 Mr. Carlyle visited professionally the iron and copper mines of Lake Superior; in 1893 he worked in the Gold Mills of Central City, and afterwards in the smelters at Denver; in 1894 he visited some mines in New York and other states, and also in Eastern Canada, and the late summer vacation he has spent professionally in the Black Hill country in the United States.

British Columbia is fortunate in obtaining the services of a man of such wide and varied experience.

JUST CRITICISM.

The Toronto World takes the right view of Mr. Laurier's milk-and-water way of dealing with an important public question. No one, whether he is Conservative or Liberal, for a moment supposes that statesmen when they are really at work indulge in weak and wishy-washy sentiment, however amiable it may be. There is not a trace of it to be seen in state papers and in the business utterances of those engaged in doing the work of government. They have something else to think of, and they have no time to waste in manufacturing pretty phrases or in polishing fine sentences which contain little or no meaning. The World in a recent number says:

Mr. Laurier's method is as follows: "I would approach this man Greenway with the sunny ways of patriotism, asking him to be just and to be fair, asking him to be generous to the minority in order that we may have peace amongst all the creeds and races which it has pleased God to bring upon this corner of our common country."

This is not statesmanship. The political affairs of the world are not conducted on these sentimental lines. "The sunny ways of patriotism" may appeal to Greenway and his cold-blooded prairie farmers in a way that would shock the dignity of Canada's would-be premier. Great interests such as those involved in this issue are not usually adjusted by "sunny ways" nor by the personal magnetism of even the most commanding personality in public life. Mr. Laurier's policy is weak and puerile because he runs away from an issue that is fully developed and that is clamoring for settlement. Whatever views Conservatives may have on the controversy, they are united in their readiness to face the issue, and take the consequences. Mr. Laurier would postpone the evil day and keep the country in a prolonged ferment. The present is no time for a vacillating, dilatory policy. Mr. Laurier's proposed commission is merely a subterfuge to relieve him of the necessity of fairly and squarely facing the issue. It is just possible in the settlement of this question something may have to give. This something will be the weakest of the contending forces. The sooner the tug-of-war is over the better it will be for the welfare of the country.

CIVIC MISRULE.

Almost everywhere on this side of the Atlantic civic government is declared to be a failure. The complaint that city rulers are incompetent and corrupt is all but universal, and the citizens of many places are looking about them for some way of managing civic affairs which will prove more effective than the methods now in use. The principal cities of Canada join in the general lament. Toronto is longing for civic reform. Montreal is disgusted with the mismanagement and the extravagance of the corporation. Ottawa wants to remodel its city council; and dozens of other cities, like Victoria, are beginning to despair of being able to obtain any improvement.

Some of those who are dissatisfied with the present state of things are asking for the intervention of Government. For the sake of having their city's affairs better administered than they are and than they have been they are willing to give up their privileges as electors and at any rate for a time place them in the hands of the provincial authorities. Among these is Mr. Goldwin Smith. He in a recent letter on the subject of civic misgovernment said: "There seems to be a general agreement as to the fact that the affairs of our city are at present in a critical state, and a pretty general agreement in the belief that the chief cause is the want of continuity, system, foresight and science in the administration." The remedy for this unfortunate state of things this accomplished publicist believes is Government interposition.

"It is for the Government and Legislature," he says, "now to take the matter in hand. Legislation when needed, as it manifestly is in this case, is their duty. Public meetings may help to form opinion, but they lead to no action; still less to individual projects of reform."

What Mr. Goldwin Smith recommended for Toronto is something like what was noisily and indignantly rejected for Victoria by those who wanted to be considered the advocates and upholders of popular rights. There is, however, no such outcry in Toronto. City government by commission is calmly and rationally discussed in the cities of the East. Mr. Goldwin Smith, who boldly advocates Government interference, was not even drummed out of the city, and those who think as he does have not been held up to public reprobation.

The Montreal Star, which is a zealous and fearless advocate of civic reform, shows the citizens of Montreal, as the citizens of Victoria have time and again been shown, that they have the remedy in their own hands if they had only the energy and the public spirit to apply it. It says:—

There is one thing for the taxpayer in revolt to remember, however, and that is that under almost any system of city government known to progressive civilization, he can get the right men at the head of things if he will only labor hard enough at the task. He has the dishonest cupidity of the few and the insane indifference of the many to overcome, but they have been overcome and they can be again. Why, even Tammany was beaten last year by a few resolute men led by a preacher.

The main reason why the corrupt element wins so steadily in civic politics, is the lack of tireless, capable and aggressive reform leadership. The people are overwhelmingly for reform when you put it before them in an unmistakable form, and ring your alarm bell loudly enough.

This is all true enough, but the Star, if we do not greatly mistake, will find, as have others in Montreal and elsewhere who have tried to stir up the citizens to exercise the powers they undoubtedly possess, that it is laboring in vain—that it is as a voice of one crying in the wilderness.

AN AMERICAN ON LYNCHING.

Every now and then we see horrible accounts of lynchings in the American newspapers. These lynchings are not confined to one state or to one section of the Union. The crime is committed with greater or less frequency all over the country, from New York to California and from Maine to Texas. Why such outrages should be committed with comparative impunity in a highly civilized country like the United States appears to be a mystery to the Americans themselves. The Argonaut, commenting upon the fact that the Governor of the State of California has offered a reward of five hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of all or any of the men concerned in the recent lynchings in that State, says:

Is there some strange madness in the American brain?—some poisonous ichor in the American blood? How else can we account for this curious reversion to barbarism in a community so highly civilized as is that of the United States? If it were confined to the lower and more vicious elements of the population, it might be comprensible. But it is not. In every lynching throughout the land the local paper hints darkly that the leaders of the mob were "prominent citizens." For every lynching throughout the land there are found defenders among intelligent men. It is only a fortnight since a reader of this journal wrote to us asking us to "decide an argument" he had with another man—evidently a person of education—yet who maintained that "Durrant ought to be lynched." And on the heels of that, H. J. McCoy, secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, was brought before the bar of Judge Murphy's court to answer for contempt, he having informed Juror Truman that "if the jury did not hang Durrant, the people would hang the jurymen."

When the public mind is so hopelessly at sea upon this question as these facts show, it is useless to expect much improvement from the public itself. If the people cannot see that every time they strangle a murderer illegally they commit a greater crime than the murderer himself did, they must be made to see it. The power of the State, the majesty of the law, must be maintained. If mobs take murderers from the hands of the officers of the law and the machinery of the courts, the courts and the officers of the law must look to the mobs. Governor Budd's move is a step in the right direction.

It is not a little surprising that the Americans have not yet found out that the lynchings, terrible as they are, have not the deterrent effect that they are intended to have. In spite of the lynchings, the same crimes for which summary execution with torture is the punishment are committed. Lynching is very far from putting an end to them. It surely does occur to some even of those who take part in the lynchings that a prompt and fearless administration of law would have a better effect than the hasty acts of vengeance in which the innocent must of necessity often suffer the punishment intended for the guilty. It would be indeed singular if the law, duly and purely administered, would not be more effective in the repression of crime than the lynchings, which may quite as often cause a thirst for vengeance as a horror of crime or dread of punishment.

The Argonaut hopes that the action of the Governor of California will be the beginning of a greatly needed reform. When those who take part in a lynching outrage find that they are exposed to punishment and are regarded both by the law and the community as criminals, they will not be so ready to repeat the offence as they are now when they are regarded by their neighbors and associates, if not as heroes, at least as men who have performed a necessary if unpleasant duty. When executing a man accused of committing a crime without trial by the properly constituted courts is regarded by the citizens of the United States generally as murder, which it no doubt is, there will soon be an end of lynching; and the crimes for which lynching is now in many places regarded as a righteous punishment will without doubt be far less frequent than they are at present.

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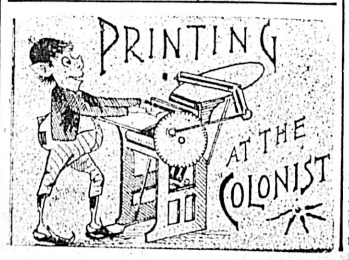

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THE committee appointed by the executive of the Council of Women for the suppression of impure literature will meet this afternoon at the city hall at 4 o'clock.

VANCOUVER lodge No. 5, A O U.W., meets this evening for the transaction of important business. Grand Recorder McIlmoyle, of Saanich, will be present.

THE harvest festival at St. Paul's, Esquimalt, is to be held to-morrow (Saturday) night at 8, and on Sunday at 10 30 a.m. and 7 p m. The Bishop will preach on Sunday morning, the Archdeacon on Sunday evening, and Rev. W. D. Barber on Saturday evening.

ALTHOUGH the sale of seats for the Pauline Hall Opera Company's engagement, on Monday and Tuesday next, only opened yesterday morning the box plan is already plentifully streaked with black. Incidentally it is well to remember that the early bird is the one that doesn't get left on the breakfast question.

JOHNNIE JONES was yesterday sentenced to three months' hard labor for supplying liquor to an Indian. In thus disposing of the case Magistrate Macrae took occasion to give the prisoner some plain and practical advice as to the necessity for reform, and regretted that the law did not permit him to order a dose of the cat.

IT is intended to hold a festal service on Friday evening, November 1 (All Saints Day), in Christ Church cathedral, at 8 o'clock. The co-operation of the other Episcopal churches in the city having been asked, it is anticipated that the following choirs will assist: St. John's, St. James', St. Barnabas', St. Saviour's and St. Paul's. All the members of the above choirs are requested to be present this (Friday) evening at their respective churches to practise the music set for the occasion, and to obtain further particulars from their choirmasters.

COLLECTOR MILNE has been supplied with copies of the new French Treaty, 1894, which came into force on the 14th instant. Among its articles the one affecting Victorians is as follows: "Wines, sparkling and non-sparkling, common soaps, savons de Marseille (castile soaps), and nuts, almonds prunes and plums of French origin entering Canada shall enjoy the following advantages: 1. Non-sparkling wines gauging 15 degrees by the centesimal alcoholometer or less, or according to the Canadian system of testing, containing 26 per cent. or less of alcohol, and all sparkling wines shall be exempt from the surtaxe or ad valorem duty of 30 per cent. 2. The present duty charged on common soaps, savons de Marseille (castile soaps) shall be reduced by one-half. 3. The present duty charged on nuts, almonds, prunes and plums shall be reduced by one-third."

THE present theatrical and operatic season has already opened with success, and, if indications count for anything, will bring to the surface many new and good things for the amusement-loving public, principal among which is the important effort by Pauline Hall, named "Dorcas," which is to be presented at the Victoria theatre on Monday and Tuesday evenings. It is an operatic comedy said to be an innovation of novelty in the operatic field, inasmuch as it gives a strong cast of acting as well as singing principals, including such well known names as Jeanette St. Henry, Eva Davenport, Drew Donaldson, Mabel Irving, Hugh Chilvers, Edgar Temple Saylor, Charles Bradshaw, Charles Meyer, Neil O'Brien, Charles Earle, James Grant and others. Miss Hall is probably laying the ground plans, in adopting this style of comic opera (which is now in vogue in Paris with great success), for the ultimate repertoire of several good pieces which will then give her the opportunity in the larger cities of giving her public several productions in one week, instead of only one as is usual. z

THE preliminary hearing of the charge against William Farrell of shooting Georgie Douglas, with intent to do her grievous bodily harm, was opened in the police court yesterday, and comes up again this morning on adjournment. Mr. J. P. Walls appears for the defence and the plea is "not guilty." Mrs. May Fox, the proprietress of the American hotel, in which the shooting occurred, was the first and most material witness yesterday. She told how Farrell had earlier in the evening pointed his revolver at her and snapped it twice; he was then only about six feet away and if the cartridge had been exploded the bullet would have struck her in the breast. She screamed when the weapon was pointed at her and Farrell had said with a laugh that it wasn't loaded. She told him to put the gun away or she would call in the police, whereat he repeated his statement that there was nothing in it. Carlson, one of his companions, finally induced him to return the weapon to his pocket. As the party stood up, with the intention of leaving the house, Farrell again pulled out his revolver and pulled the trigger, a report immediately following and the girl Georgie receiving the bullet in her thigh. Detective Perdue was on the scene almost at once and arrested the prisoner and sent Scow for a doctor. This testimony was practically corroborated by Carrie Stanley, while the Farrell brothers, Carlson and Scow gave general evidence as to how the night was spent by the party. The prisoner, according to their testimony, had been neither drunk nor sober—just half and half.

CAPTAIN J. WALBRAN, of Victoria, has been appointed a stipendiary magistrate for the counties of Victoria, Westminster, Nanaimo and Vancouver.

WM WALTER NORTHCOTT, of Victoria, has been appointed justice of the peace for the County of Victoria, and Wm. Henry Norris, of Midway, for the County of Yale.

DONATIONS to the Refuge home are gratefully acknowledged from Mrs. W. Spencer, Mrs. Dr. McGregor, Mrs. Gordon Grant, Mr. Holmes, First Presbyterian church social, Mrs. Flett, Mrs. Hart, and a friend.

THERE will be a religious meeting of the Scandinavians at Captain Jacobsen's residence, Head street, Victoria West, this evening. Among those who will be present is Rev. Mr. Anderson, of Seattle, and Rev Mr. Salstran, also from the American side.

BENJAMIN WEHRFRITZ, Neville J. Hopkins and James McIntosh, of Kamloops, give notice in yesterday's gazette of memorandum of association of the Imperial Brewing Co., Ltd., with its principal place of business at Kamloops and a capital stock of $50,000.

THE official Gazette of yesterday announces the incorporation of the Fraser River Packing Co., Ltd., with a capital stock of $250,000, the three trustees being Wm. G. Johnson, Cesare J. Maroni and Harry Rhodes, of Vancouver, the principal place of business being at that place.

TO-NIGHT the grand Hallowe'en masquerade ball will take place at the A O U.W hall, Yates street. The ball room has been gaily decorated, and the ladies of Triumph lodge, Degree of Honor, have done their best to make the supper a sumptuous affair. On account of the large number who will be present the lodge will present two additional handsome prizes for the best sustained characters. Richardson's orchestra have a special programme of music. A fine view of the dancing can be had from the galleries, and after unmasking parties can partake of supper and enjoy the dancing until the "Wee Sma' Hours."

AN extra large meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held yesterday, when an interesting address by given by Mrs. (Dr.) McGregor on the life of Mrs. Yeomans, Canada's pioneer woman temperance lecturer. Four delegates, namely, Mrs. Crowther, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. Spofford, and Mrs. Edmonds were elected to represent the Union at the annual meeting of the Woman's Council on November 8 Two resolutions, were adopted, one concerning the establishment of a home for old women, and the other asking for the amendment of the school act so as to make ladies in rural districts eligible for election to school boards.

"THE Tornado" has cleared the way of every doubt as to the success of Lincoln J. Carter's second production of scenic melodrama. "The Fast Mail" was his first effort, and before its presentation wise heads scoffed at the things Mr. Carter said he could present, but he did all he said he would, and made a fortune beside. His announcements for "The Tornado" were equally surprising, but the fourteen newspapers of Chicago, where he chose to launch his new work, were a unit in pronouncing it as the perfection of melodramatic work, the superior of every scenic melodrama before the public. The "Tornado" is to be presented at the Victoria theatre this evening. x

UPWARDS of twenty interested whites with many times that number of dusky friends and relatives witnessed the marriage of Harry and Jennie, which was solemnized at the Roman Catholic church in Saanich last Sunday morning. The wedding was a notable one in many respects, not the least important of which lay in the fact that the bridesmaids were respectively the daughter and the granddaughter of the groom, and that he too was supported by another member of the family. The bride was attired in her travelling costume of red and purple—designed it is said by Worthless of Esquimalt—and had introduced a unique effect by substituting a brilliant bandana, folded diagonally, for the traditional bridal veil, an innovation that has much to commend it to society from the standpoint of utility. The groom wore conventional morning dress, with shoes. After the ceremony the guests adjourned to the home of the newly wedded and there partook of an excellent breakfast, an enormous bride cake furnishing variety from the usual delicacies of the season. The happy couple will spend their honeymoon on the reservation.

ST. ANDREW'S BAZAAR.

A Highly Successful Event—Satisfactory Wind Up of the Proceedings.

The bazaar given by the ladies of St. Andrew's cathedral closed last night, the attendance and financial success being highly satisfactory. The programme was as published yesterday and was carried out in a manner which reflected great credit on all concerned.

The winners in the raffles were as follows: Baby basket, J. Henneberry; album, Miss Waldron; tea cloth, Miss Deasy; smoking set, Mrs. S. O'Brien; lamp and shade, B. J. Perry; silver match box, Miss Condogeorge; picture, "Death of Pius IX," Miss E. Baines; pillow, J. Henneberry; pillow, P. J. Patton; drape, Miss M. O'Sullivan; clock, Capt. Whiteley; cushion, Father Nicolaye; silk pillow, M. Bantly; doll, Miss O'Sullivan; china plate, Mr. Keller; pillow shams, Mrs. M. Sweeny; cake, W. Baines; screen, Father Nicolaye; cake, M. O'Keefe; lampshade, T. Allen; fancy paper basket, Mrs. O'Keefe; picture, "Mater Dolorosa," F. Martin; basket of flowers, Miss B. O'Connor.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Several By-Laws Discussed at a Special Council Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon.

Proposal to Include a Settling Basin in Beaver Lake Improvements Laid Over.

The city council had a special meeting yesterday afternoon, chiefly to discuss several matters in connection with the waterworks and to pass some by-laws. All the members were present.

The branch sewers construction assessment by-law was taken up first. Its purpose is to settle the amount that the property owners affected shall pay to recoup the city for the $12,000 spent out of the loan by-law of last year for branch sewers to connect various properties with the main sewers. The by-law was passed.

Next came the by-law "To authorize certain expenditures," its object being to readjust certain items in the estimates so as to provide for matters not foreseen when the estimates were voted upon.

ALD MACMILLAN objected to an item of $200 for the new fire hall at Oaklands and wanted it struck out.

ALD. HALL wanted to know what right the fire wardens had to order the lumber and have it hauled on the ground before the appropriation was made.

ALD. MACMILLAN was of opinion that the wardens had proceeded illegally as no warrant had been issued yet by the auditor.

ALD BRAGG replied that the council had adopted the recommendation of the fire wardens.

ALD. PARTRIDGE had the reports of the fire wardens adopted by the council read, and maintained that the fire wardens had thereby been given authority to proceed.

ALD HUMPHREY was of opinion that the work should be done by contract.

ALD CAMERON said he had not been in favor of the expenditure, and there was no doubt the firewardens had acted irregularly, but he felt that the council had already committed themselves to having the hall built and he would vote for the item.

ALD. HALL was against spending money to put up a hall on the Clarke site when another hall had been offered for nothing.

To this ALD. MCLELLAN said the city should not be in the position of a person asking charity. It was beneath the dignity of the city to accept a free shed for a fire hall. He believed that the city should pay for what it got.

The item was passed.

ALD. MACMILLAN objected to the sum of $175 to cover the deficit of the exhibition association, but the sum was passed.

The by-law appointing Mr. W. J. Taylor city barrister at $83 a month, and Mr. C. Dubois Mason city solicitor at $125 per month was passed.

The proposal to utilize the space between the cofferdam and main dam of the waterworks for a settling basin was laid over as it was not considered wise to do anything at present.

ALD. WILLIAMS, as chairman of the waterworks committee, did not consider it advisable for the city to put men at work there until the contractors were through. If the city wanted a settling basin they could take up the work later if desired, though he questioned the necessity.

Ald. Humphrey, the Mayor and others felt it would be unwise to touch the cofferdam until the contractors were through, for if any mishap occurred the contractors would throw the blame on the city.

The matter was therefore laid over.

The council also decided not to allow the contractors to substitute concrete for brick in building the ducts and culverts in the filter beds. The general feeling was that it would be unwise to depart from the specifications.

An invitation was received to attend a meeting to be held in Colquitz hall by property owners along the Colquitz river who complain that the water is polluted by the waterworks improvements.

The letter was acknowledged and filed.

It was 5 o'clock when the council adjourned.

CLERKS IN THE POST OFFICE.

TO THE EDITOR:—An article appears in your paper this morning with the above heading, written by some fellow who is evidently ashamed of his name, so he signs "Traveller." I beg to state, sir, that your correspondent has been misinformed, for there is not a word of truth in the article referred to from beginning to end.

N. SHAKESPEARE,
Victoria, Oct. 24, 1895. Postmaster.

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VICTORIA, B.C.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Steamer "Coquitlam" Leaves To-day for Haddington Island for Stone—Entries and Clearances.

To-day the Union Steamship Company's steamer Coquitlam leaves for Haddington island to bring down to Victoria the last load of stone for the new parliament buildings, and the twenty-sixth load, exclusive of one of quartz brought from Nelson island, since the middle of April last. All the quarrymen at Haddington island, numbering about thirty men, will be brought down to Victoria with the last load, and will arrive here about Wednesday next. On the 1st of November the Coquitlam enters into a new business, having been chartered by the New England Fishing Company of Boston to carry halibut from the Northern fishing grounds to Vancouver for the next six months. Captain Freeman, Mate Morris and Chief Engineer Kennedy and other officers of the Coquitlam have made many friends while in the stone business.

Steamer Maude arrived at Alberni yesterday morning with a good number of passengers and a full freight. She sailed for Clayoquot at noon.

The steamer Coquitlam came in yesterday laden with Haddington Island stone.

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" Sehome..... " " "
" Coquitlam..... " Haddington Is'd.
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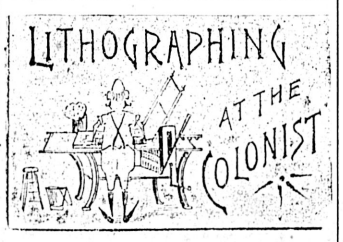

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LATEST STYLES IN BONNETS AND THEIR TRIMMINGS.

Light Felts Are Very Popular, and Small Pokes Are Among Favorite Shapes—Capotes and Dutch Bonnets Are Also Worn. Flowers, Feathers, Jets and Spangles.

Light felts—light not only in color but in weight—are prominent among the autumn bonnets. Pale gray, golden brown, heliotrope and all the dark shades are shown in shapes that incline to small pokes. These bonnets fit the head with the comfort of a capote, but have the slightly flaring brim that per-

AN ELABORATE EVENING BONNET.

mits the placing of delicate face trimming and really gives but that suggestion of a brim that is always pretty in a bonnet. The capote shapes, which are always in fashion, are developed in velvet and satin, the material being laid softly over the frame, and, while sufficiently full, still the air of heavy draping is avoided. Capotes of golden brown satin are decorated with butterfly wings of butter colored lace and having a rather high but full bunch of velvet black eyed Susans.

French milliners invariably put ties in their bonnets. In many instances they are removed, but women of good taste realize that a smart air is given by these ties, as they invariably, if one is skillful in arranging them, add to any virtues and tone down any imperfections of the face.

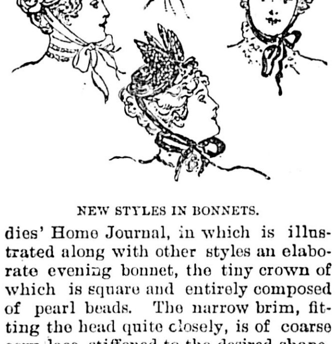
The Dutch bonnet will be worn, but the rosette effect so much liked last season will give place to a high trimming, not unlike a pompon, at the back. Jets and spangles of all kinds for outlining are in vogue, and for evening bonnets crowns richly embroidered in beads and spangles are shown. Jet tiaras are liked on all black bonnets, but as the absolute round crown is the shape chosen it must be confessed that it is rather trying. Smaller tiaras in rhinestones are shown for evening bonnets, and by the French milliners are put upon white or very pale gray velvet.

Mistakes are frequently made by amateurs in not shaping frames to suit the head, and so the bonnet, being either too large or too small, will produce a grotesque effect greatly to be dreaded. Care must be shown, too, in the arrangement of upstanding feathers.

Flowers as well as feathers appear on the winter bonnets, but in making a choice one must consider exactly what wear will be given to the bonnet and whether bright hued blossoms will harmonize with the hour and the toilet. The style of coiffure has much to do with the arrangement of the bonnet on the head. If the hair is parted, the bonnet is placed a little farther back than it is if either a pompadour or a bang is worn.

Flower rosettes are made of tiny rosebuds and of violets.

Black and white is liked in quiet stylish chapeaux, and as black velvet will be greatly in vogue both for wraps and costumes the popularity of this contrast is certain, and its adoption by well bred women assured, according to The La-



NEW STYLES IN BONNETS.

dies' Home Journal, in which is illustrated along with other styles an elaborate evening bonnet, the tiny crown of which is square and entirely composed of pearl beads. The narrow brim, fitting the head quite closely, is of coarse ecru lace, stiffened to the desired shape. At each side of the front, exactly as if they were rosettes, is an American beauty rose, with one or two of its leaves arranged about it quite closely. From out of the one on the left side there springs an aigret of white heron's feathers. Just across the front between the roses and concealing the joining of brim and crown is a band of pink velvet thickly studded with rhinestones. At the back, just in the center, is a high bunch of the leaves of the lily of the valley, while two small rosettes of these dainty flowers are at each side of this leaf aigret, but pressed closely to it and quite short stemmed. The ties are of pink velvet ribbon, and may or may not be retained, or the conventional black velvet may be substituted, as is most becoming.

How to Clean Russet Shoes.

Use only first class prepared dressings —never the common ones. A banana peel, however, is as good as anything, and should be used about like a polishing cloth. It improves the leather greatly.

FASHIONS TO DATE.

New Fabrics, Trimmings and Gowns. What Will Dressed Women Wear?

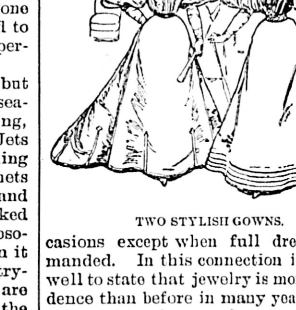
New materials and new designs are presented on every side. Beginning with colors, it is already apparent that brown in various shades and mixtures is a favorite. Black, too, is in evidence, especially for hats and bonnets with highly colored garniture. The blues are out in full force—in shades too numerous to mention. Then there is the Russian green that promises to have quite a run.

Velvet is if possible more fashionable than ever. Velvet skirts and sleeves are combined with silk waists and vice versa. Velvet capes and velvet blouses are also in demand. The new silks are heavier in texture and richer in effect than those of last season. A favorite in this line is peau de soie, which exhibits the bright luster of satin without so much gloss. Bright colors are produced in the new silks, and the blending of several colors is as pronounced as ever.

Henrietta cloth is shown in many shades. Mohair weaves are extremely popular, and everybody admires the rich shaggy plaid weaves sold under the name of zibeline plaid. New Scotch tweeds are out in a mixture of color in which the dark shade predominates. Serges in all weights and weaves are worn. What is known as the cheviot serge bids fair to become popular.

Sleeves continue to be a prominent feature; indeed, many of the new gowns show skirts still wider and sleeves more bouffant than ever. There is a perceptible lengthening of the shoulder line which women inclined to comfort will resent. Generally speaking, sleeves match the skirt, but the bodice is of different material.

There appears a revival of ruches, square bows, wide collars and wide ribbons. Belts and girdles remain in fashion, and consequently the demand for buckles of every quality and description is on the increase. Silver buckles are the most useful, being adapted to all oc-



TWO STYLISH GOWNS.

casions except when full dress is demanded. In this connection it may be well to state that jewelry is more in evidence than before in many years.

A striking feature of many of the new bodices is the net or lace with which they are covered. Lace, by the bye, is playing an important part on evening gowns and dinner dresses. A charming evening gown of pink satin seen had a band of narrow pearl embroidery crossing the shoulders and trimming the skirt. Bands of guipure lace appeared on the front of the decollete bodice cut in an especially becoming shape and finished at each corner with a large bow of deep red velvet. A pleasing gown for the street had the hem of the skirt tucked, the sleeves and vest set into kilts and the soft silk over bodice outlined with colored embroidery traced with sequins. The hat worn with this gown was trimmed with ostrich feathers.

Now that every woman rides a wheel, tailors are busy devising more attractive bicycling dresses. New Yorkers as a rule wear skirts over the knickerbockers. These cycling skirts are as difficult to cut and properly fit as is the skirt to a riding habit, but they can be made not only comfortable, but natty in appearance. The very latest skirt is made with a loose front that can be buttoned on either side when walking, but which is left open when on the wheel.

ALICE VARNUM.

A Becoming Bonnet.

One's bonnet has much to do with bringing out the virtues or otherwise, not only of one's eyes and hair, but of one's skin and the shape of one's head. The round faced, plump beauty must give up her ties unless they are of the narrowest and looped with so much care that the idea of framing the full moon is not suggested. For her whose face is slender (politeness gives that name to thinness) there must be a soft, full framing and broad loops that will tone down all angles. She who is sallow must admire rose, pale blue and heliotrope on other women, choosing golden brown, that most charitable of tones, deep crimson, and if a light evening color is required a delicate shrimp to make the yellow of her skin white. The pale woman chooses rose, dark blue, all reds, dark green, glowing purple and black to gain color, while she of the rosy cheeks selects pale blue, heliotrope, olive, cream white and crimson, if she wishes them not to look like roses, says a writer in The Ladies' Home Journal, who adds, "If your eyes are dull, do not make them seem more so by putting sparkling jet or brilliant rhinestones near them."

Fashion Hints.

The snug turban and English walking hat are favorite headgear now.

Tailors are turning out attractive costumes for women who ride the wheel.

Embossed cloth is a novelty in winter fabrics.

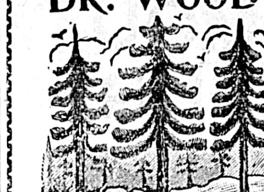
Fancy velvets, velours and velveteens are prominent among autumn and winter dress goods.

Capes are as fashionable as ever and are longer and fuller than last season.

Plain satin duchess is a fashionable evening fabric and is out in all the new colors.

Lace and chiffon fichus continue to be worn.

DR. WOOD'S



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Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

For TRAIL CREEK MINES, connect at Northport with stage daily.

For Nakusp and Revelstoke, connect at Northport with boat on Wednesdays and Saturdays. ja1

NOTICE.

Pioneer Street, between Blanchard Street and Quadra Street, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

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NOTICES.

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 35 of the "Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1894," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria has by resolution, in each case of numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, hereunder (which resolutions were passed at a meeting of the said Council held on the 14th day of October instant), declared that:

1. Certain wooden buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on Lot 91, Block 26, Kane street.

2. Certain wooden buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on Lot 16, Block 12, Yates street.

3. A certain wooden building and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on Lot 238, Block 24, Broad street.

4. Certain cabins, buildings and structures situate on the west half of Lot 1260, Block H, Johnson street.

5. Certain wooden cabins, buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on the north end of Lot 1260, Block H, Johnson street.

6. Certain wooden buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on the corner of Broad and Pandora streets, Lot 667, Block U.

All of which, being within the municipal limits of the City of Victoria, are in each case, and respectively, a nuisance and dangerous to public health, and it was thereby ordered, that the same shall be pulled down and removed by the respective owners, agent, lessees or occupiers thereof, and in case of default by any of the said owners, agents, lessees or occupiers, within a period of five days after publication of this notice in the DAILY COLONIST, a daily newspaper published in such municipality, to comply with this order it was thereby ordered that such pulling down and removal of the said cabins, buildings and structures shall be done by the Sanitary Officer of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, at the cost of the owners of such cabins, buildings and structures as above mentioned respectively, and that the payment of such cost and all expenses incidental thereto, shall be inforced against the owner thereof by the said Sanitary Officer in an action of law in any court of competent jurisdiction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
15th October, 1895. oc16

PRIVATE BILLS.

TO avoid misapprehension on the part of persons who propose to introduce Private Bills at the next session of the Legislature, the Speaker has directed the publication of the following ruling, which explains the distinctive character of such measures:

Every Bill for the particular interest or benefit of any person or persons is treated in Parliament as a Private Bill. Whether it be for the interest of an individual, a public company or corporation, a city or municipality, or other locality, it is equally distinguished from a measure of public policy, in which the whole community are interested; and this distinction is marked by the solicitation of Private Bills by the parties themselves whose interests are concerned. By the standing orders of the House all Private Bills, or Bills to amend the same, are required to be brought in upon petition, and the payment of fees by the promoters is an indispensable condition to their progress. Public Bills to amend Private Bills can be introduced by a member of the Government, but not by a private member.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk of the House.

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"FIRE INSURANCE POLICY ACT, 1893,' AS AMENDED BY THE FIRE INSURANCE POLICY AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of October, 1895, to the 1st day of April, 1896.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
26th September, 1895. se28-1m

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year, 1895.

FALL ASSIZES.

Vernon	Monday	11th October
Lytton	Friday	11th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	11th November
Victoria	Tuesday	19th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	26th November

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MATERNITY (Late Samaritan) Home, has moved to larger premises, at 199 Johnson street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or to Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or to Mrs. Flumerfelt, Gorge Road.

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Allan Line	Parisian	Nov 10
"	Mongolian	Nov 16
Dominion Line	Labrador	Nov 2
"	Vancouver	Nov 16
Beaver Line	Lake Superior	Nov 6
"	Lake Winnipeg	Nov 13

FROM NEW YORK.

Cunard Line	Lucania	Nov 9
"	Etruria	Nov 16
American Line	St. Louis	Nov 6
"	New York	Nov 13
White Star Line	Britannic	Nov 6
"	Majestic	Nov 13
Red Star Line	Noordland	Nov 6
"	Southwark	Nov 13
North Ger. Lloyd	Lahn	Nov 5
"	Dresden	Nov 9
Anchor Line	Anchoria	Nov 9
Allan State Line	Nebraska	Nov 9
"	California	Nov 23

For rates, berths, tickets and all information apply to

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General S.S. Agent,
C.P.R. Ticket Office.

Cor. Fort and Government Sts., Victoria, B.C.

VICTORIA & SIDNEY R'Y

Trains will run between Victoria and Sidney daily as follows:

Leave Victoria at.... 7:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m.
Leave Sidney at.... 8:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m.

SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS.

Leave Victoria at.... 7:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m.
Leave Sidney at.... 8:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m.

T. W. PATERSON.

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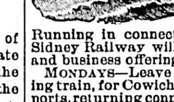

Steamer Mary Hare

Running in connection with the Victoria & Sidney Railway will sail—weather permitting and business offering—as follows:

MONDAYS—Leave Sidney on arrival of morning train, for Cowichan, Vesuvius, Bay and way ports, returning connects with evening train for Victoria.

TUESDAYS—Leave Sidney on arrival of morning train, for Ganges Harbor and way ports.

WEDNESDAYS—Leave Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Sidney, connecting with morning train for Victoria.

THURSDAYS—Leave Sidney on arrival of morning train, for Ganges Harbor, Nanaimo and way ports.

FRIDAYS—Leave Nanaimo at 7 a.m. for Sidney and way ports, connecting with evening train for Victoria. oc11

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y.

TIME TABLE No. 24,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 5th 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN No. 2 Pass. Daily	No. 4 Pass. Sat. & Sun.	M's fr Vic.	STATIONS.	M's fr Wel.	SOUTH BOUND—READ UP No. 1 Pass. Daily.	No. 3 Pass. Sat. & Sun.
De. 8.00 am	De. 4.50 pm		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.20 pm	Ar. 8.30 pm
" 8.01	" 4.55	1	Russell's	77	" 12.16	" 8.25
" 8.14	" 5.03	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.06	" 8.18
" 8.17	" 5.06	5	Stewart's	73	" 12.03	" 8.15
" 8.20	" 5.09	6	Parson's Bridge	72	" 12.00	" 8.12
" 8.27	" 5.15	8	Langford	70	" 11.53	" 8.06
" 8.37	" 5.24	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.43	" 7.57
" 9.05	" 5.52	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.15	" .30
" 9.30	" 6.14	28	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" .10
" 9.40	" 6.22	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" .02
" 9.55	" 6.31	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.25	" 6.53
" 10.05	" 6.38	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.15	" 6.46
" 10.10	" 6.42	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.10	" 6.42
" 10.20	" 6.49	43	Somenos	35	" 10.00	" .35
" 10.27	" 6.58	47	Westholme	31	" 9.53	" 6.26
" 10.42	" 7.08	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.38	" 6.15
" 11.00	" 7.26	59	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.20	" 5.57
" 11.09	" 7.35	62	Oyster Bay	16	" 9.11	" 5.48
" 11.40	" 8.08	73	Nanaimo	5	" 8.40	" 5.15
Ar. 12.00 n'n	Ar. 8.25	78	Wellington		De. 8.20 am	De. 5.00 pm

On Saturdays and Sundays

Cheap excursion tickets will be issued to and from all points, good to return not later than Sunday.

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Through rates between Victoria & Comox.

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A. DUNSMUIR, President.
JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen. Supt.
H. K. PRIOR, Gen. Freight and Passenger Agt.

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THE STORY OF FRANCIS CLUDDE

BY STANLEY J. WEYMAN, AUTHOR OF "THE MAN IN BLACK," "A GENTLEMAN OF FRANCE," ETC., ETC.

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CHAPTER XXII.

Late, as I have heard, on the afternoon of Nov. 20, 1558, a man riding between Oxford and Worcester with the news of the queen's death caught sight of the gateway tower at Coton End, which is plainly visible from the road. Though he had already drunk that day as much ale as would have sufficed him for a week when the queen was well, yet much wants more. He calculated he had time to stop and taste the squire's brewing, which he judged, from the look of the tower, might be worth his news, and he rode through the gate and railed at his nag for stumbling.

Half way across the chase he met Sir Anthony. The old gentleman was walking out, with his staff in his hand and his dogs behind him, to take the air before supper. The man, while he was still a hundred paces off, began to wave his hat and shout something which ale and excitement rendered unintelligible.

"What is the matter?" said Sir Anthony to himself, and he stood still.

"The queen is dead!" shouted the messenger, swaying in his saddle.

The knight stared.

"Aye, sure!" he ejaculated after awhile, and he took off his hat. "Is it true, man?"

"As true as that I left London yesterday afternoon and have never drawn rein since!" swore the knave, who had been three days on the road and had drunk at every hostel and at half the manor houses between London and Oxford.

"God rest her soul!" said Sir Anthony piously, still in somewhat of a maze. "And do you come in! Come in, man, and take something."

But the messenger had got his formula by heart and was not to be defrauded of any part of it.

"God save the queen!" he shouted, and out of respect for the knight he slipped from his saddle and promptly fell on his back in the road.

"Aye, to be sure, God save the queen!" echoed Sir Anthony, taking off his hat again. "You are right, man!" Then he hurried on, not noticing the messenger's

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mishap. The tidings he had heard seemed of such importance, and he was so anxious to tell them to his household—for the greatest men have weaknesses, and news such as this comes seldom in a lifetime—that he strode on to the house and over the drawbridge into the courtyard without looking behind him.

He loved order and decent observance, but there are times when a cat, to get to the cream pan, will wet its feet. He stood now in the middle of the courtyard, and raising his voice shouted for his daughter. "Ho, Petronilla, do you hear, girl! Father! Father Carey! Martin Luther! Baldwin!" and so on until half the household were collected. "Do you hear, all of you? The queen is dead! God rest her soul!"

"Amen!" said Father Carey, as became him, putting in his word amid the wondering silence which followed, while Martin Luther and Baldwin, who were washing themselves at the pump, stood with their heads dripping and their mouths agape.

"Amen!" echoed the knight. "And long live the queen! Long live Queen Elizabeth!" he continued, having now got his formula by heart. And he swung his hat.

There was a cheer, a fairly loud cheer, but there was one who did not join in it, and that was Petronilla. She, listening at her lattice up stairs, began at once to think, as was her habit when any matter great or small fell out, whether this would affect the fortunes of a certain person far away. It might, it might not. She did not know. But the doubt so far entertained her that she came down to supper with a heightened color, not thinking in the least, poor girl, that the event might have dire consequences for others almost as dear to her and nearer home.

Every year since his sudden departure a letter from Francis Cludde had come to Coton—a meager letter, which had passed through many hands and reached Sir Anthony now through one channel, now through another. The knight grumbled and swore over these letters, which never contained an address to which an answer could be forwarded, nor said much, save that the writer was well and sent his love and duty and looked to return, all being well. But, meager as they were and loud as he swore over them, he put them religiously away in an oak chest in his parlor, and another always put away for her share something else, which was invariably inclosed—a tiny swallow's feather. The knight never said anything about the feather, neither asked the meaning of its presence nor commented upon its absence when Petronilla gave him back the letter. But for days after each of these arrivals he would look much at his daughter, would follow her about with his eyes, be more regular in bidding her attend him in his walk and more particular in seeing that she had the tidbits of the joint.

For Petronilla, it cannot be said, though I think in after times she would have liked to make some one believe it, that she wasted away. But she did take a more serious and thoughtful air in these days, which she never, God bless her, lost afterward. There came from Wootton Wawen and from Henley in Arden and from Cookhill gentlemen of excellent estate to woo her, but they all went away disconsolate after drinking very deeply of Sir Anthony's ale and strong waters. And some wondered that the good knight did not roundly take the jade to task and see her settled.

But he did not. So possibly even in these days he had other views. I have been told that, going up once to her little chamber to seek her, he found a very singular ornament suspended inside her lattice. It was no other than a common clay house martin's nest, but it was so deftly hung in a netted bag and so daintily swathed in moss always green and the Christmas roses and snowdrops and violets and daffodils which decked it in turn were always so pure and fresh and bright—as the knight learned by more than one stealthy visit afterward—that, coming down the steep steps, he could not see clearly and stumbled against a cookboy and beat him soundly for getting in his way.

To return, however. The news of the queen's death had scarcely been well digested at Coton, nor the mass for her soul, which Father Carey celebrated with much devotion, been properly criticised, before another surprise fell upon the household. Two strangers arrived, riding, late one evening, and rang the great bell while all were at supper. Baldwin and the porter went to see what it was and brought back a message which drew the knight from his chair as a terrier draws a rat.

"You are drunk!" he shouted, purple in the face and fumbling for the stick which usually leaned against his seat ready for emergencies. "How dare you bring cock and bull stories to me?"

"It is true enough!" muttered Baldwin sullenly, a stout, dour man, not much afraid of his master, but loving him exceedingly. "I knew him agin myself."

Sir Anthony strode firmly out of the room, and in the courtyard near the great gate found a man and a woman standing in the dusk. He walked up to the former and looked him in the face. "What do you here?" he said in a strange, hard voice.

"I want shelter for a night for myself and my wife, a meal and some words with you—no more," was the answer. "Give me this," the stranger continued, "which every idle passerby may claim at Coton End, and you shall see no more of me, Anthony."

For a moment the knight seemed to hesitate. Then he answered, pointing sternly with his hand: "There is the hall, and supper. Go and eat and drink, or stay!" he resumed. And he turned and gave some orders to Baldwin, who went swiftly to the hall, and in a moment came again. "Now, go! What you want the servants will prepare for you."

"I want speech of you," said the newcomer.

Sir Anthony seemed about to refuse, but thought better of it. "You can come to my room when you have supped," he said in the same ungracious tone, speaking with his eyes averted.

"And you—do you not take supper?"

"I have finished," said the knight, albeit he had eaten little. And he turned on his heel.

Very few of those who sat round the table and watched with astonishment the tall stranger's entrance knew him again. It was 13 years since Ferdinand Cludde had last sat there—sitting there of right. And the 13 years had worked much change in him. When he found that Petronilla, obeying her father's message, had disappeared, he said haughtily that his wife would sup in her own room, and with a flashing eye and curling lip bade Baldwin see to it. Then, seating himself in a place next Sir Anthony's, he looked down the board at which all sat silent. His sarcastic eye, his high bearing, his manner—the manner of one who had gone long with his life in his hand—awed these simple folk. Then, too, he was a Cludde. Father Carey was absent that evening. Martin Luther had one of those turns, half sick, half sullen, which alternated with his moods of merriment and kept his straw pallet in some corner or other. There was no one to come between the servants and this dark visaged stranger, who was yet no stranger.

He had his way and his talk with Sir Anthony, the latter lasting far into the night and producing odd results. In the first place, the unbidden guest and his wife staid on over next day and over many days to come and seemed gradually to grow more and more at home. The knight began to take long walks and rides with his brother, and from each walk and ride came back with a more gloomy face and a curter manner. Petronilla, his companion of old, found herself set aside for her uncle and cast, for society, on Ferdinand's wife, the strange young woman with the brilliant eyes, whose odd changes from grave to gay rivaled Martin Luther's, and who now scared the girl by wild laughter and wilder gibes and now moved her to pity by fits of weeping or dark moods of gloom. That Uncle Ferdinand's wife stood in dread of her husband Petronilla soon learned and even began to share this dread, to shrink from his presence and to shut herself up more and more closely in her own chamber.

There was another, too, who grew to be troubled about this time, and that was Father Carey. The good natured, easy priest received with joy and thankfulness the news that Ferdinand Cludde had seen his errors and re-entered the fold, but when he had had two or three interviews with the convert his brow, too, grew clouded and his mind troubled. He learned to see that the accession of the young Protestant queen must bear fruit for which he had a poor appetite. He began to spend many hours in the church, the church which he had known all his life, and wrestled much with himself, if his face were any index to his soul. Good, kindly man, he was not of the stuff of which martyrs are made, and to be forced, pushed on and goaded into becoming a martyr against one's will—well, the father's position was a hard one, as was that in those days of many a good and learned clergyman bred in one church and bidden suddenly, on pain of losing his livelihood, if not his life, to migrate to another.

The visitors had been in the house a month—and in that month an observant eye might have noted much change, though all things in seeming went on as before—when the queen's orders enjoining all priests to read the service, or a great part of it, in English, came down, being forwarded by the sheriff to Father Carey. The missive arrived on a Friday and had been indeed long expected.

"What shall you do?" Ferdinand asked Sir Anthony.

"As before!" the tall old man replied, gripping his staff more firmly. It was no new subject between them. A hundred times they had discussed it already, even as they were now discussing it, on the terrace by the fishpool, with the church which adjoins the house full in view across the garden. "I will have no mushroom faith at Coton End," the knight continued warmly. "It sprang up under King Henry, and how long did it last? A year or two. It came in again under King Edward, and how long did it last? A year or two. So it will be again. It will not last, Ferdinand."

"I am of that mind," the younger man answered, nodding his head gravely.

"Of course you are!" Sir Anthony rejoined as he rested one hand on the sundial. "For ten generations our forefathers have worshiped in that church after the old fashion, and shall it be changed in my day? Heaven forbid! The old fashion did for my fathers. It shall do for me. Why, I would as soon expect that the river yonder should flow backward as that the church which has stood for centuries, and more years to the back of them than I can count, should be swept away by these hot gospelers! I will have none of them! I will have no new fangled ways at Coton End!"

"Well, I think you are right!" the younger brother said. By what means he had brought the knight to this mind without committing himself more fully I cannot tell. Yet so it was. Ferdinand showed himself always the cautious doubter. Father Carey even must have done him that justice. But—and this was strange—the more doubtful he showed himself the more stubborn grew his brother. There are men so shrewd as to pass off stones for bread, and men so simple minded as to take something less than the word for the deed.

"Why should it come in our time?" cried Sir Anthony fractiously.

"Why indeed?" quoth the subtle one.

"I say, why should it come now? I have heard and read of the sect called Lollards who gave trouble awhile ago. But they passed, and the church stood. So will these gospelers pass, and the church will stand."

"That is our experience certainly," said Ferdinand.

"I hate change!" the old man continued, his eyes on the old church, the old timbered house—for only the gateway tower at Coton is of stone—the old yew trees in the churchyard. "I do not believe in it, and, what is more, I will not have it. As my fathers have worshiped so will I, though it cost me every rood of land! A fig for the order in council!"

"If you really will not change with the younger generations"—

"I will not!" replied the old knight sharply. "There is an end of it!"

Today the reformed church in England has seen many an anniversary and grown stronger with each year, and we can afford to laugh at Sir Anthony's arguments. We know better than he did, for the proof of the pudding is in the eating. But in him and his fellows, who had only the knowledge of their own day, such arguments were natural enough. All time, all experience, all history and custom and habit as known to them were on their side. Only it was once again to be the battle of David and the giant of Gath. Sir Anthony had said, "There is an end of it!" But his companion, as he presently strolled up to the house with a smile on his saturnine face, well knew that this was only the beginning of it. This was Friday.

On the Sunday, a rumor of the order having gone abroad, a larger congregation than usual streamed across the chase to church, prepared to hear some new thing. They were disappointed. Sir Anthony stalked in, as of old, through the double ranks of people waiting at the door to receive him, and after him Ferdinand and his wife and Petronilla and Baldwin and every servant from the house save a cook or two and the porter. The church was full. Seldom had such a congregation been seen in it. But all passed as of old. Father Carey's hand shook indeed, and his voice quavered, but he went through the ceremony of the mass, and all was done in Latin. A little change would have been pleasant, some thought. But no one in this country place on the borders of the forest held very strong views. No bishop had come heretic hunting to Coton End. No abbey existed to excite dislike by its extravagance, or by its license, or by the swarm of ragged idlers it supported. Father Carey was the most harmless and kindest of men. The villagers did not care one way or the other. To them Sir Anthony was king, and if any one felt tempted to interfere the old knight's face, as he gazed steadfastly at the brass effigy of a Cludde who had fallen in Spain fighting against the Moors, warned the meddler to be silent.

And so on that Sunday all went well. But some one must have told tales, for early in the week there came a strong letter of remonstrance from the sheriff, who was an old friend of Sir Anthony, and of his own free will, I fancy, would have winked. But he was committed to the Protestants and bound to stand or fall with them. The choleric knight sent back an answer by the same messenger. The sheriff replied, the knight rejoined—having his brother always at his elbow. The upshot of the correspondence was an announcement on the part of the sheriff that he should send his officers to the next service to see that the queen's order was obeyed and a reply on the part of Sir Anthony that he should as certainly put the men in the duck pond. Some inkling of this state of things got abroad and spread as a September fire flies through a wood, so that there was like to be such a congregation as the next service to witness the trial of strength as would throw the last Sunday's gathering altogether into the shade.

It was clear at last that Sir Anthony himself did not think that there was the end of it, for on that Saturday afternoon he took a remarkable walk. He called Petronilla after dinner and bade her get her hood and come with him, and the girl, who had seen so little of her father in the last month, and who, what with rumors and fears and surmises, was eating her heart out, obeyed him with joy. It was a fine frosty day near the close of December. Sir Anthony led the way over the plank bridge which crossed the moat in the rear of the house and tramped steadily through the home farm toward a hill called the Woodman's View, which marked the border of the forest. He did not talk, but neither was he sunk in reverie. As he entered each field he stood and scanned it, at times merely nodding, at times smiling: or again muttering a few words, such as, "The three acre piece! My father inclosed it!" or, "That is where Ferdinand killed the old mare!" or, "The best land for wheat on this side of the house!" The hill climbed, he stood a long time gazing over the landscape, eying first the fields and meadows which stretched away from his feet toward the house, the latter, as seen from this point, losing all its stateliness in the mass of stacks and ricks and barns and granaries which surrounded it. Then his eyes traveled farther in the same line to the broad expanse of woodland—Coton Chase—through which the road passed along a ridge as straight as an arrow. To the right were more fields, and here and there amid them a homestead with its smaller ring of stacks and barns. When he turned to the left, his eyes, passing over the shoulders of Brant hill and Mill Head copse and Beacon hill, all bulwarks of the forest, followed the streak of river as it wound away toward Stratford through luscious flood meadows, here growing wide and there narrow as the woodland advanced or retreated.

"It is all mine," he said as much to himself as to the girl. "It is all Cludde land as far as you can see."

There were tears in her eyes, and she had to turn away to conceal them. Why she hardly knew, for he said nothing more, and he walked down the hill dry eyed, but all the way home he still looked sharply about, noting this or that, as if he were bidding farewell to the old familiar objects, the spinneys and copses—aye, and the very gates and gaps and the hollow trees where the owls built. It was the saddest and most pathetic walk the girl had ever taken. Yet there was nothing said.

(To be continued.)

AN INDIAN BOY'S PONY.

An Account of His First Attempt to Ride It at a Buffalo Hunt.

Thus led by those dedicated to religious service, the tribe leaves its village, the people by families dropping into line—men, well mounted, bearing their weapons ready for use; women, in gala dress, riding their decorated ponies, older ones leading the pack horses; little children in twos and threes upon the backs of steady old nags, or snugly stowed away in the swinging pouch between the tent poles, and the dogs trotting complacently everywhere.

Here and there along the line of the cavalcade is a lad being initiated into individual responsibility. He has been upon the hunt before, as one of the family, but this is the first step toward going independently uncared for as child. The father has lassoed a wild horse, saddled and bridled him and now bids his son mount the animal. The boy hangs back, the colt is a fiery creature and already restive under restraint. The father tells his son that the horse shall be his own when he has conquered it, but the lad does not move. The lookers on are smiling, and the cavalcade does not wait. "Get up," says the father.

The boy slowly advances, and the colt quickly recedes, but the boy, grasping his mane, swings himself into the saddle. The father lets go, and so does the colt—rears, jumps, wriggles, humps his back like an infuriated cat, stands on his fore legs and kicks at his own tail, paws the air and stamps the earth, but the boy clings to him until, with a sudden jerk, the saddle girth is broken, and he is landed over the head of the excited creature, which runs for dear life and liberty. Brought back, protesting by twists and shakes of his head, he is again mounted and again frees himself.

After two or three repetitions of this sort of thing the boy becomes angry, and the mother grows anxious. She runs to her son as he is scrambling up from the ground, feels him all over and moves his legs and arms to see if he is hurt. He is impatient at the delay. He is going to master that pony now or die for it. This time he stays on. In vain the animal lashes himself into foam and fury. The boy sticks to him like the shirt of Nessus, and the father at last leads the indivisable pair between the tent poles which trail behind a sophisticated family horse, and there, fenced in, they journey all day, trying to get used to each other. The pony does not see his way out of the poles and is forced to keep up with the procession.—Century.

TEACHERS IN ENGLAND.

A Pathetic Letter From One Which Tells Its Own Story.

An English paper, having offered to throw open its columns to a consideration of the "worst paid class in the community," prints the following:

DEAR ANSWERS—I am a schoolmaster, and it is my pleasing duty to teach Greek, Latin, French, English, mathematics and 50 other things to the "sons of gentlemen." I receive board and lodging and £60 a year from my benevolent employer, who makes a net profit of over £1,500 per annum out of his school.

My poor old dad (a country parson) was always anxious that I should receive "the education of a gentleman," so he pinched and screwed to send me to a good public school and subsequently to Oxford. I may say, without conceit, that I distinguished myself at both places, winning scholarships and other prizes with a facility that seemed to mark me out for the life of an instructor of youth. Behold me, then, at the age of 29, raking in the lordly stipend mentioned above and luxuriating in the "home comforts," which, according to his advertisements, my principal supplies for his boys.

During nine months in the year I may be said to be on duty for the whole 24 hours. When I am not teaching my boys, I am playing football or cricket with them, and I am even obliged to sleep in the same dormitory with 12 hearty youngsters, who snore like steam sirens. The worst feature of the life is the fact that there is no future before me. If I had a capital of £2,000, or even £1,000, I might start a school of my own; but, as it is, I can hope for nothing better. What will become of me in my old age I tremble to think. There are hundreds of expensively educated young fellows in the United Kingdom who can earn no more at schoolmastering than I do. Sincerely yours, M. A. (Oxon).

Unjust Aspersion on the Boy.

"Talk about intellects!" said Webb. "That new office boy of mine has a head that would fill grandfather's hat."

"What's the matter now?" asked Bluffkins cautiously. "You were saying only last night that that boy was so careless you were afraid he might come to business some morning without his breakfast."

"I know it. That's just what I said. But I mean to ask that boy's forgiveness. It was only this morning that I learned how unjust I had been. I gave the youngster several letters to mail. He was gone some time, so when he came back I said, 'I'm afraid you didn't post those letters very promptly and that your carelessness has made me miss the mail.'

"'Oh, no, sir,' he replied. 'I'm sure I didn't waste any time. In fact, I took care that the first letter I put in the box was the one marked 'Immediate!'"—Boston Budget.

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HENRY CLEWS' CIRCULAR.

The Situation Calls for Conservatism and Discrimination—The "Kaffir Craze" in London and Paris.

In his Wall street circular, dated New York, Oct. 19, Henry Clews says:

"Wall street remains dull and devoid of speculative interest. The situation affords little to attract outside interest, and transactions are chiefly confined to the professionals. The market, however, still shows considerable inherent strength in the absence of any important realizing on 'long' stock. Some uneasiness has been caused by a return of firmness in foreign exchange. The imports continue large, and the advances in cotton and wheat tend to limit the exports and consequently to keep down the supply of commercial exchange. There is also some disappointment at the course of the local money market, for in spite of the still large drain of currency to the interior the rate of interest keeps low.

"Another undesirable feature has been the return of stocks from London; that, however, is not a positively discouraging fact, as there is a steady outflow of bonds to an extent which about offsets the reflux of shares. These facts tend to neutralize the hope that the course of the foreign exchanges would prove to be steadily downward and would ultimately reach a point admitting of the importation of gold.

"How far we may hope to place our securities abroad during the next few months must depend principally (1) upon what may be forthcoming in respect to the treasury gold problem, and (2) upon the outcome of the 'Kaffir' craze in London and Paris. As to the former, all is uncertainty. As to the 'Kaffir Circus,' nothing is more certain than it must come down with a terrific crash and that at no very distant period. This week's Stock Exchange settlement in the stuff has been surmounted without serious disturbance; but solely through adroit financing of the most desperate character. The whole speculation rests upon the cardboard foundation of one daring adventurer, whose almost sole resource is the wind by which he has succeeded in inflating to the last point of tension hundreds of millions of issues mostly devoid of intrinsic value. There is no solid capital interest behind the speculation to sustain it when the point of collapse has been reached; and meantime the process of distrust and realizing is pushing affairs towards the crisis. The end therefore is likely to be sharp and sudden, and must develop into a great sensation.

"Upon the whole, the situation in stocks is one that calls for conservatism and discrimination."

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NOTICE—Estate of F. W. Robson—Final dividend in the above estate will be declared on the 21th day of November next, and will be payable immediately thereafter at the office of R. P. Rithet & Co. Ltd., Wharf street, Victoria, regard being had only to such creditors of the estate as shall then have sent in and proved their claim.

Dated the 23rd day of October, 1895.

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LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

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For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

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For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

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1 a. m..	46°	Mean 46°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	45°		
9 a. m..	46°	Highest 48°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	48°		1 p.m.—4 S.E.
5 p. m..	46°	Lowest 45°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	45		Rain—.02.

Average state of weather—Cloudy and foggy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from Seattle—Mrs Clapp, J A Whalley, Mrs Whalley, W Rafree, G Henderson, Mrs F L Stewart, H Howarth, Mrs Howarth, T M Balka, T Christianson, F Olrich, A Richards.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—J Nelson, Capt Geo Roberts, Mrs Spice, Mrs Green, H E Green, H Burgess, Jno Colvart, Miss Coffey, S Mars, J A Brown, W H Grillin, M C Raynard, K K Pierser, J Macaulay, J J Shallcross, A H B Macgowan, H Pim, J H Hoare, J B Gordon, D W Gillies, Mr Hanbury, Bert Parsons, H C Mason, C McAlpine, R Thompson, H P Bell, Dr Bryden Jack and wife, R Landells, I R Burns, Capt Soule, W J Price, R Burnett, J Gordon.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—A W Dingwall, Wm Delaney, A Brown J M Burk, Mrs A Rivers, Mrs Collington, Wm Smart, J Long, F A Young, J M Cathcart, A R Anderson, J Salstrom, F W Curry, J Bishop, G Mickey, A U Berman, P A O Farrell, C W Douglass, S Odmon, H S Mauer, M Guttnan.

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DIED.

SAMPSON—In this city, on the 24th instant, George Henry Sampson, a native of North Hatley, Stanstead, Quebec, aged 31 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday, at 2:30 p.m., from St. Joseph's Hospital. Friends will please accept this intimation.

LANDELLS—In this city, on the 23rd instant, Elsie Landells, a native of Nova Scotia, aged 49 years.

The funeral will take place to-day (FRIDAY) at 10:30 a.m., from Hayward's undertaking parlors, Government street. Friends are invited to attend.

WORTHINGTON—In this city, on the 23rd inst., Isabel Worthington, only daughter of Mr. James Porter, a native of England, aged 53 years.

The funeral will take place to-day (FRIDAY) at 2 p.m., from the family residence, No. 15 Rock Bay Avenue, and at St. John's church at 2.30 p.m. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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PERSONAL.

D. W. Gillies is back from a trip to the Mainland.

J. B Gordon returned from the Mainland last night.

A. S Potts and his bride have returned from a honeymoon trip to the Puget Sound country.

Dr. Brydone Jack and Mrs. Jack came over by the Charmer last night from Vancouver.

S. Hodson, Seattle and T. W. Gordon Wallace, Shanghai, are registered at the Oriental.

Miss Ethel C. Holloway has left for Nelson, B.C. to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. G. R. Robson.

John McLean, of Tacoma; Dr. W. D Brydone-Jack, of Vancouver; Joseph Morrell and E. B. Wolff, of San Francisco; are at the New England.

J. M. Burke, Trail Creek; G. E. Macdonald, Vancouver; C. P. Rice, Montreal and A. H. B. Macgowan, Vancouver, are guests at the Driard.

Rev. W. M. Jefferis, rector of the church of the Holy Communion, Tacoma and W. W. McMullen and Mrs. McMullen, Knoxville, Tennessee, are among the arrivals at the Driard.

Pa Tiger (after eating a gentleman)—I don't think I'd care to be in the midst of civilization.

Ma Tiger—Why not, love?

Pa Tiger—It's so much nicer to let civilization be in the midst of you.—New York Sun.

For Puget Sound Points.

The fast steamer Sehome, Charles E. Clancey, master, leaves here every morning, excepting Sundays, at 9 o'clock for Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving at Seattle at 4 p.m., connecting with the N.P.R.R train for the East. Returning she leaves Seattle at 10 p.m. daily, excepting Saturday, arriving here at 6 a.m. Tickets at Northern Pacific Railway Office, Government street. x

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

ROYAL NAVY VS. VICTORIA COLLEGE.

A very fast and exciting 40-minute game was played yesterday at the Canteen grounds, between a scratch Victoria College team and H.M. Royal Navy, resulting in a victory for the Navy by 16 points to 5. The College playing two men short in the scrum, could only offer a comparatively weak resistance to the superior weight of their opponents, but played a plucky losing game all through. The Navy three-quarter play was the chief feature of the match, the backs passing freely, being well fed by the halves. A valuable addition to the Navy fifteen is Lieut. Boothby, ex-captain of the Hampshire county team, who played a brilliant three quarter game, securing a try and kicking two difficult goals. G. Wilson scored for the College after a good run and converted his try into a goal; G. D. Ward and Maitland securing the other points for the Navy. With one or two exceptions the Royal Navy will play the same fifteen on Saturday against the Victoria Rugby club, when a closely-contested match is looked forward to by the numerous admirers of the Rugby game.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Y. M. C. A. FOOTBALL.

The Y.M.C.A. football match between the club eleven and a team from the gymnasium will be played in the Caledonia grounds instead of at Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon. The game commences at 2 30 o'clock.

ATHLETICS.

LONG DISTANCE RUN.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24—(Special)—The Harriers' club members had a run to the lighthouse yesterday, a distance of six miles. Philp, of the News-Advertiser, reached home first, covering the distance in about 38 minutes. Hillier made the pace and was close behind Philp at the finish. The next run will be on Saturday.

HERE AND THERE

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

There are twenty entries for the 'round the park road race at Vancouver to-morrow. Albert Offord presents a gold ring to any rider breaking the record of 29:32. Other prizes are donated by James Stark, C. N. Davidson, C. Cockburn and G. R Gordon.

Vancouver and Westminster will play the first championship Rugby match of the season at Brockton Point to morrow. The personnel of the Vancouver team is entirely changed, but they are practising together in splendid form and will show up well.

THE EGG DANCE.

A Beautiful Feat That Is Performed by Hindoo Juggling Girls.

One of the most wonderful of the many feats performed by Hindoo jugglers is the egg dance. Usually it is executed by a girl, fantastically dressed. She makes use of the willow wheel, around which at equal distances are threads, and at the end of each thread there is a noose, held open by a bead.

This wheel the girl places on her head, while she carries a basket of eggs on her arm. When the music strikes up, she begins to dance, and the wheel begins to spin around. She then takes an egg from the basket, places it in one of the thread nooses and throws it from her with sufficient force to draw the knot tight. The spinning of the wheel keeps the thread stretched, with the egg at the end of it.

She then takes another egg from the basket, places it in another noose and repeats this until there is an egg in every noose. Her fantastic costume, her perfect motion and all the eggs swinging on the stretched threads at once present a very pretty sight indeed. It requires much art to execute the dance, for at one false step the eggs would be dashed together, the dance spoiled and the dancer thereby disgraced.

After dancing for a time with all the eggs swinging around her head she takes them out of the noose one by one, all the time keeping the wheel balanced and in motion, and again places them in the basket on her arm.

When the dance is finished, the spectators are allowed to examine the eggs to see that they are real.—Philadelphia Times.

A White Squall.

"A white squall—did I ever see one? I should say I had," said an old sailor in the barge office. "We were between here and the West Indies, and it was as fair a day as you ever put eyes on. I was at the wheel, and we were bowling along under a pretty sailing breeze. There wasn't a cloud to be seen, unless a little white vapor far off could be called a cloud. All of a sudden the captain came up out of his cabin.

"'Get all the light sails off her as quick as you can,' he shouted to the mate. 'Clew up the royals and to'gallant sails and bear a hand lively, boys.'

"'What's the matter with the old man now?'" said the sailors as they looked around the horizon and saw nothing but sunshine and the clear sky.

"Nevertheless all hands turned to getting in the light sails. The captain took the wheel and sent me to assist. Of course we all thought it was a piece of foolishness, but we worked with a will because the captain told us to.

"Well, we had no sooner got those sails in than it struck. Right out of the clear sky came an awful gale. It tore our great mainsail and other sails to ribbons quicker than a flash. It came 'butt end to,' as the sailors say.

"How did the captain know it was coming? Why, he was in his cabin and happened to see his glass go down suddenly. That meant something, and he hustled on deck. A good captain watches his barometer as a cat watches a mouse."—Portland Press.

For a nice glass of cool beer or iced drinks call at Adelphi corner. M.C.Brown.

TRAIL CREEK MINES.

J. M. Burke Tells Something About the Wonderful Progress of the District.

Matting Works Being Erected—Rossland's Position Assures It a Grand Future.

John M. Burke, who arrived from Rossland yesterday, had some intertesting facts to give in regard to the progress of the wonderfully rich Trail Creek mining district. The Robert E. Lee mine, he said, is getting ready to ship a quantity of ore, averaging $60 a ton in gold. The machinery for the mine had just arrived when he left there a few days ago. The Little Kid Smelting Works, of Butte, Montana, are putting up a matting plant at Trail, with a capacity of 150 tons a day. It will be managed by Messrs. Hinds and Breen. They have made a contract with the Le Roi mine for 100 tons a day, which will leave them only 50 tons a day to purchase from other mines. There are seven mines now shipping out an aggregate of 250 tons a day running about $50 in gold. These mines are the War Eagle, Le Roi, Josie, Iron Horse, Cliff, Evening Star, and Columbia. Inside of sixty days the R. E. Lee, Homestake and Crown Point will also be shipping, and others will swell the output before the winter is through. The ore is copper, carrying gold, and Mr. Burke is of opinion that before long other matting plants besides that at Trail will be erected. He looks for a good business time for Rossland during the winter, for a coating of snow if anything makes the roads better for hauling.

The most recent strike in the district is a fine body of ore which has been uncovered in the Colonna mine, half a mile from Rossland. The ledge is five feet wide, running $70 to $80 in gold and 16 per cent. in copper, the highest percentage of copper so far of any of the mines in the district. The Colonna has been bought by H. L. Franks & Smith, of Butte, but the price paid Mr. Burke did not know.

Mr. Burke expressed his surprise that more interest had not been taken in British Columbia mines by Canadian and English capitalists, instead of letting the Americans get in ahead of them. All the development in the Trail Creek district outside of three mines has taken place since last April. Now there are 500 men working in the mines, and Rossland has a population of 2,000. Mr. Burke believes it is the best mining camp in the Northwest, and the probabilities of its future are simply immense. Before long Rossland will be as big as Butte; and it is situated right in the centre of the mines, so that no other town can enter into competition with it. Four stages a day run there from Northport, and two from Trail. Mr. Corbin expects soon to start on his railway branch from Northport to Trail Creek. He has been hindered by a difficulty in getting the right of way from the United States authorities through the Indian reserve on the American side, but that has been about settled now. The road will be about 18 miles long. Then there will be a tramway built at once by Messrs. Breen & Hinds from the matting plant at Trail to Rossland.

Messrs. Johnson, Clarence King and others of the leading scientific and practical men of the United States, besides English experts, have examined the district and none of them have ever disagreed with the opinion that, as far as development has gone, it is to-day the best mining district in the Northwest.

Speaking of the representatives of English syndicates that have recently visited the district Mr. Burke stated that the Clifton and St. Elmo Consolidated have been bonded for $225,000 from Warden & Cook by Mr. F. S. Barnard.

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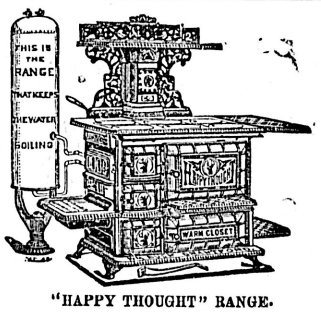

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